

WILSON ASKS FOR REPORT ON BIG SLACKER ROUNDUP

President's Purpose is Not Made Public

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—President Wilson has asked Attorney General Gregory for a complete report of the circumstances surrounding the "slacker roundup" in New York City this week in which upwards of 40,000 men were taken into custody by agents of the department of justice, the military intelligence bureau and soldiers and sailors, on suspicion that they were attempting to evade the selective service law.

The president's purpose in calling for a report from the attorney general was not made known. His request was transmitted after the matter had been vigorously debated today in the senate and Senator Smoot of Utah, Republican, had offered a resolution for investigation by the senate military committee to establish who issued orders for the use of soldiers and sailors in the roundups. Objection by Senator Kirby of Arkansas, Democrat, caused the resolution to go over, but Senator Smoot plans to call it up again Monday. The roundups were conducted under the direction of Federal district attorneys who unquestionably acted under guidance from Washington. At the office of Provost Marshal General Crowder today it was said that the arrests were made without authority from or assistance from his office.

"No word was forthcoming from the war and navy departments as to who issued orders for soldiers and sailors to participate."

Senate Takes Up Matter

In calling the attention of the senate today to the wholesale arrests, Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the military committee, said he objected to such unauthorized procedure. He was joined in his protest by Senators Calder of New York, Johnson of California, Sherman of Illinois, Republicans, and other senators, while Minority Leader Lodge was insistent that the country should know who was responsible for the employment of the nation's fighting men in such an undertaking.

Hunt Will Continue

New York, Sept. 5.—New York's slacker hunt will continue as originally planned, despite criticism in the senate today of the extensive roundup, according to Charles F. DeWoody of the department of justice, who declared in a statement tonight that the drive had been started on direct orders from Attorney General Gregory and A. Bruce Bielaski, chief of the bureau of investigation.

Notified of the proposed investigation of the raids by the senate military committee Mr. DeWoody asserted it was "silly to assume that I would ever have undertaken such work without the authority of my superiors in office, but that when the good results and figures are given in the final report of this work in New York, I will instruct and assume responsibility before anybody."

An office to office hunt started today in the Equitable Building, a 43 story structure on lower Broadway, was stopped after George T. Mortimer, president of The Equitable Building corporation had communicated with Mr. DeWoody.

Raids carried today into the financial district resulted in the arrest of many more alleged slackers and also exact figures were not available it was estimated that nearly 70,000 suspects had been rounded up since the crusade began. No official estimate was made of the number of actual delinquents caught, but it is believed from 3,000 to 4,000 men have been inducted into military service or held for prosecution.

FOOD ADMINISTRATORS IN CONFERENCE

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 5.—Food administrators of nine central and western states and representatives of two of the fuel handling zones, in the opening session of their conference here with N. S. Schroeder of Washington, D. C., representing Dr. Harry Garfield, Federal Fuel Administrator devoted virtually all their time to informal discussion in executive session of actions needed to better fuel mining and distribution. The conference will continue tomorrow. Among those at the conference are Harry N. Naylor, representing Zone 1, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Texas; Dr. F. C. Hannold, representing Zone 16, Illinois and Indiana.

ALL FELONS MUST BE REGISTERED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—All felons are not admitted to the army. Provost Marshal General Crowder said today he had directed that every penitentiary and prison warden register the inmates of his institution within the new draft ages on Sept. 12. Persons awaiting trial and those convicted of misdemeanors, as well as inmates of jails, reformatories and asylums other than felons will be treated by the draft boards as absentees.

Rapid Weakening In the Morale of German Army

WITH THE AMERICAN TROOPS IN FRANCE, Wednesday, Sept. 4.—Every evidence obtainable by the Americans as they press upon the German armies, points to the continuous and ever more rapid weakening morale of the enemy troops and the lowering of their effectiveness to a serious point. The American military authorities draw this conclusion from the action of the German command in shortening the line by voluntary withdrawals, its enforcement of longer tours of duty in the front trenches upon the troops, the combining of the service for infantrymen, the disbanded of storm battalions to bolster up inferior divisions and even the use of Austrian troops on the western front.

At least seven German divisions have been disbanded so that the men might be used to replace the losses sustained during the summer campaign. Some separate regiments have been broken up also. Prisoners declare that practice of forming storm battalions so weakened the infantry regiments that it had to be given up.

The number of German divisions classified as "tested," it appears has dropped from 83 on July 15, until it stood at 50 on August 24. Twenty nine of these divisions were originally designated as first class, but only 13 were so designated on the August date. Seven of these had only had two weeks' rest at that time. In many cases German divisions have had to remain in the line for long periods, and fully 150 of the first line divisions have been fighting continuously from two and a half to four months.

TERMS OF CONTRACT BETWEEN RAILROADS AND GOVERNMENT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—Terms of the standard contract between the government and railroads, made public today by Director General McAdoo after months of negotiation with company representatives show that most contentions of the Association of Railway Security Holders have been denied. These included the claim that railroads companies should be given the right to litigate in court after the war for losses on account of diversion of business and to appeal to courts from decisions of the interstate commerce commission, acting as referee in disputes over administrative questions.

The contract now will be offered to all roads under federal control and it is believed most leading roads will sign it.

Final action on disputed points was as follows: The refusal to approve a provision for litigation over damages on account of diversion of traffic was by advice of the department of justice; there is nothing to prevent a company from appealing to the court of claims, which handles suits against the government over disputed questions of the amount of compensation due. The objection to the provision requiring a company to pay out of its compensation expenses necessary to bring rundown property up to a condition of safe operation was overruled. The contention that a company's compensation should not be used to pay its debts to the government until after customary dividends have been paid also was overruled.

The director general agreed to strike out, as urged by the company representatives the section requiring a railway to turn over to the government one month's supply of working capital without interest.

Claim that the government should pay corporate expenses of railway companies was denied.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ILLINOIS PARADE

PEORIA, Ill., Sept. 5.—More than 5,000 Knights Templar of the Illinois grand commandery passed in review here this morning in one of the most brilliant parades ever seen in Peoria. The parade was the big feature of the sixty second convocation of the commandery which opened here last night. Competitive drills were held this afternoon. "The win the war" spirit is taking precedence over everything in the convocation and resolutions pledging every member to stand behind the administration are to be passed at the business session today. Chicago is to get the next convocation.

PASSENGER WRECKED

Minot, N. D., Sept. 5.—The Oriental Limited on the Great Northern railroad was wrecked three miles east of here this afternoon by spreading rails. Three cars turned over and 13 persons were injured. No one was killed.

CHICAGO MERCHANT DEAD

MacKenzie Island, Mich., Sept. 5.—William A. Amberg, 70 years old, of the Chicago firm of Cameron, Amberg and Company, died at his summer home here today of angina pectoris.

SENATE DEBATES TAKING OVER OF PACKING PLANTS

Trade Commission's Report Assailed and Defended

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—The federal trade commission was sharply assailed and vigorously defended in the senate today for its recent report to President Wilson recommending that the government take over control of the packing industry so as to break up what it termed a monopoly of the meat business in this and other countries and to prevent alleged profiteering.

The debate, in which Senators Sherman of Illinois and Smoot of Utah led the attack on the commission, was precipitated by introduction by Senator Gore of Oklahoma, of an amendment to the emergency agricultural appropriation bill carrying out in the main the commission's recommendations. The amendment later was withdrawn when it was apparent that consideration of it would further delay passage of the bill.

Senator Sherman declared the commission to be a self-constituted "prosecuting agency" made up of business failures, while Senator Smoot of Utah charged that the commission from the beginning has been a political organization and has been used as a "stepping stone" to campaign for office.

Report Defended

Sensors Gore and Kenyon defended the report, declaring it was largely justified, the latter saying it received the endorsement of thousands of persons "who have been robbed by the packers all these years."

Senator Sherman declared if the members of the commission desired to know what the people thought of them, they had only to offer themselves for office and would be beaten by a vote of four to one. He referred to members of the commission as self-appointed business men who have done nothing in their lives but criticize men who are doing things, and said Chairman Colver was the most "vociferous and blatant one of the lot."

"There isn't one," Senator Sherman continued, "who isn't a radical, a Bolshevik, and economic fire brand, for office and office."

"They're younger brothers of the I. W. W.—all of them. They're poor excuses for public officers. They're a disgrace to the administration. They're a menace to business. They're a discredit to the country."

Senator Ashurst of Arizona, interrupted to say that there was nothing in the record of the men to justify Senator Sherman "in traducing them in such a violent way."

"The commission could not reply and that it was unfair to thus use the senate's rules for freedom of speech."

Sherman Assails Wilson. Senator Sherman replied that he regretted that he was restrained by parliamentary limitations from saying what he desired, but that he would make the same statements outside of the senate and hold himself responsible in the courts if necessary.

Senator Ashurst suggested Senator Sherman might have prevented confirmation of members of the commission by the senate to which the Illinois senator replied that the minority lacked power to prevent confirmations.

"It's useless to talk about the rights of the minority in this administration," declared Senator Sherman. "What rights have we? Simply to our seats. What right has congress? Its largely instructed what to do. Stand by the president! How can we when we can't stand still on any question long enough to tell what it is!"

Referring again to the trade commissioners, Senator Sherman shouted in conclusion: "They ought to resign."

Senator Kellogg of Minnesota said he knew Chairman Colver as business manager of a St. Paul newspaper, that he is an honorable "gentleman" and not dishonest.

STRIKERS MAY BE FORCED TO WORK

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—Steps to enforce acceptance by employees of munition factories in Bridgeport, Conn., of the recent award of the war labor board are under consideration by the Secretary of War. In making his announcement tonight the secretary had taken the matter up with the war labor board as the result of an appeal by the ordinance department contracts let by which are being delayed by strikes in the plants.

Conditions Unchanged

Bridgeport, Conn., Sept. 5.—Strike conditions among the tool makers and machinists of Bridgeport munition plants were unchanged today.

Last night eleven meetings of workers, men and women, chose delegates, 36 in all to a convention to be held later to select a community committee of three to represent the 60,000 workers in sixty five plants in all negotiations over wages and hours.

War News Summary

News of Activities On Various Battle Fronts in Summarized Form By Associated Press.

The French and Americans are fast driving the Germans out of their positions in southern Picardy and in the sector between the Vesle and Aisne rivers. So rapid has been the progress of the allies—the French in Picardy and the Americans and French from Soissons eastward to Rheims—that the retirement of the enemy has the appearance of the beginning almost of a rout.

Meanwhile Field Marshal Haig in north from Peronne to Ypres has been almost as busily engaged with his troops in carrying out successful maneuvers which are only in slightly less degree of rapidity forcing the Germans everywhere to give ground. Haig's men again have made the Germans taste bitter defeat on numerous occasions and the aid of the punishment for them seems not yet in sight. In the latest fighting in the region extending from the old Noyon sector to Soissons the French have reclaimed thirty villages from Germans, have crossed the Somme canal at several points and are standing only a short distance from the important junction of Ham with its road leading to St. Quentin and La Fere.

On the south they have made further crossing of the Ailette river and are fast skirting the wooded region which acts as a barrier to direct attack on Laon, the Chemin-des-Dames and the western Aisne defenses of the enemy. Seemingly at the present rate of progress this barrier shortly will have been overcome and, indeed, the entire salient north-west of Soissons obliterated. Already the French south of Presnes on the fringe of the high forest of Coucy have penetrated the old Hindenburg line. Al behind the lines northeast of Noyon great conflagrations are to be seen, particularly around Jussy and LaFere which apparently indicates that the Germans intend to fall back as fast as they can to the old

German lines running southeastward from St. Quentin.

The French and Americans are hard after the Germans between the Vesle river and the Aisne and for more than eight miles, extending from Conde to Viel-Arcy, they have driven the enemy across the Aisne and are standing on the southern bank of the river. Eastward toward Rheims almost up to the gates of the cathedral city, the German line is falling back northward. At the anchor point of the line in the vicinity of Rheims however, the Germans seem to be holding, evidently realizing that a retrograde movement here would necessitate a straightening of their line perhaps as far eastward as Verdun. In the initial maneuver to the retreat along the Vesle front the Americans and French captured both Bazoches and Flsmette. From Bazoches, they have penetrated more than three miles northward to Barbonval, which is only a little more than a mile south of the Aisne.

In Flanders the British have taken the town of Ploegstert and positions southwest of Messines and northeast of Wulverghem and repulsed strong counter attacks launched against them.

Southeast of Arras all the way down the line to the south of the Somme below Peronne the British have dug more deeply into the enemy's front on various sectors, especially toward Cambrai and immediately north and south of Peronne, in the latter region having driven in the enemy's rear guards for considerable distances.

The Germans have been violently bombarding the Americans at Frappele on the eastern end of the battle front in Lorraine, but have attempted no infantry attacks.

More than 3,000 shells many of them gas projectiles have been sent into the American line by the enemy.

STATEMENTS

Official Communications Issued By Belligerent Countries Regarding War Situation.

BERLIN, Sept. 5.—via London —"The fighting activity was restricted today to minor engagements in the area fronting our new positions," says the war office communication issued this evening.

LONDON, Sept. 5.—The British have made further progress along their front north and south of Peronne, according to Field Marshal Haig's report tonight. British patrols have been able to cross to the east bank of the Canal du Nord, south of Marquion. The statement says:

"On the southern part of the battle front, both north and south of Peronne, our troops are advancing and driving the enemy's rear guards. They are approaching the high ground on the front between Athies and Nurlu. Between Nurlu and the river Sensee minor engagements on different parts of the battle front are reported."

"Our lines have been advanced slightly on the spur north of Equancourt and local fighting has occurred about Neuville-Bourjoinal and Moeuvres."

"South of Marquion our patrols have crossed to the east bank of the Canal du Nord and brought back prisoners from a German post."

"On the Lys front the enemy again attacked strongly this morning on the sector north of Hill 63, and was repulsed, after sharp fighting. We pushed our lines forward for a short distance during the day south and southeast of Nieppe and northeast of Wulverghem."

PARIS, Sept. 5.—The French troops made important advances both along the Canal du Nord and north of the Vesle, according to the war office announcement tonight. During the course of the day thirty villages were taken along the Ailette river.

The statement says:

"Our troops continued their pursuit of the retreating enemy today along the Canal du Nord and the Vesle and made an important advance, despite resistance at certain points."

"On the north bank of the Somme canal we held Falvy and Offroy. To the south we have brought our lines nearer to the road to Ham, along which our front extends from Plessis Patte d'Oie to Berlaucourt."

"Southwest of that village our front passes through the outskirts of Guivray and Chlouel-Croisy, north of Mareuil-Dancourt and the southern outskirts of Abbecourt. At certain points our advance covered a distance of six kilometers."

BULLETINS

(By the Associated Press)

LONDON, Sept. 5.—The British consulate at Moscow has been attacked according to the Central News today.

LONDON, Sept. 5.—Count George F. von Hertling, imperial German chancellor has resigned giving bad health as the cause, according to the Geneva correspondent of the Daily Express quoting a despatch from Munich.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—Senators from the cotton growing states at a conference today decided to protest to President Wilson against any action by the war industries board looking to the fixing of cotton prices. The senators hope to see the president tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—The administration waterpower leasing bill was passed late today by the house after leaders had failed in a second attempt to amend it so as to carry out the wishes of President Wilson that a fair value instead of the amount of no net amount should be paid by the federal or municipal governments in taking over power plants at the end of the fifty year lease periods.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Sept. 5.—By the A. P.—Captain Belvidere Brooks, son of the former general manager of the Western Union Telegraph company, was killed Aug. 22, by a shell during a German attack west of Fismes. Captain Brooks was standing at the entrance of an immense cave south of the Vesle, formerly occupied by the Germans and was watching the effect of shells in other localities when struck.

TO ESTABLISH DRY ZONES AROUND U. S. WAR INDUSTRIES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—Altogether the senate today adopted a resolution authorizing the president to establish "dry" zones around coal mines, ship yards, munition and other war plants it again failed to reach a final vote on the emergency agricultural appropriation bill with its rider providing for national prohibition from July 1, 1919, until the nation's army is mustered out after the war.

The resolution for prohibition zones about war plants was a part of the prohibition "rider" it was adopted separately, however, upon representations that the prohibition bill might be delayed and that the president should be given power to immediately create the proposed zones.

Offered by Senator Kellogg of Minnesota, the separate resolution was approved without a roll call.

The senate also deferred action today on the amendment of Senator Bankhead of Alabama, proposing government purchase of distilled spirits in storage when the prohibition clause becomes effective.

RECENT BRITISH SUCCESS BECOMES MORE APPARENT

Enemy Being Steadily Driven Back Everywhere

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Sept. 5.—By The Associated Press.—The effect of the recent British successes are hourly becoming more apparent. The enemy is steadily but surely going back. Successive minor victories in Flanders, the application of sustained pressure in the battle zone south of the Scarpe the exploitation of the advances north of Peronne and the steady bombardment from the British cannon are helping the general movement. The foe's retirement is being marked by no usual destruction for fires and explosions are reported from various sections, especially the area in front of the Hindenburg line from the Bapoume-Cambrai line southward where the torch seems to have been freely used. The suburbs on the southeastern outskirts of Peronne, where the German machine gunners have also been holding out desperately have now been cleared of the enemy, so that the position of the Germans on the east bank of the Somme is becoming increasingly precarious.

Along the banks of the Canal du Nord in the region north and south of Inchy-en-Artois, strong German reinforcements have come up and they are holding in some places, especially back of Moeuvres, the western spool back with immense numbers of machine guns. As yet they have not been really attacked by the British in any force. It is not at all unlikely however, that the Germans will try to concentrate their line in this locality with the Hindenburg line at some point further south.

Long periods of fighting without the slightest respite the annihilation of whole formations and the thorough hammering they have received have served to fix the idea of saving themselves foremost in the minds of the German troops. Every prisoner in his comments on the great battle seems to bear this out. Almost everywhere and every letter taken from German troops shows that the enemy troops on the western front have suffered from the continued fighting.

Nearer Hindenburg Line.

(By The Associated Press.) With The British Army In France, Sept. 5.—There was heavy fighting at Incy-en-Artois last night. The Germans managed to reach the outskirts of the town and held out there for some hours, but the place is cleared of the enemy. In general, the advance in the territory northeast of Peronne is bringing the British steadily nearer to the Hindenburg line. The Germans are keeping the bridges and the approaches on the Somme south of Peronne under heavy machine gun and mortar fire.

In Flanders where Ploegstert village and Hill 63 were captured 100 prisoners were taken in each of these localities. The enemy delivered a counter attack north of Hill 63, but was repulsed. British posts are reported to have been established further south on the banks of LaBasse canal.

The German retrograde movement here appears to be partly voluntary induced by the recent operations south of the Scarpe and partly the result of local attacks in which positions of strategic importance were gained by the British. A large portion of the German line is in the course of being readjusted and the British today were continuing to gain ground almost everywhere.

TROTZKY HEADS RUSSIAN COUNCIL.

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 5.—Leon Trotzky, Bolshevik minister of war, has been elected president of the Russian supreme war council at a meeting of the Soviet executive committee, according to Berlin Wolff Bureau dispatch from Moscow. The Lettish leader, Vazgen, has been elected commander-in-chief for all the Russian fronts.

The supplementary agreements to the Brest-Litovsk peace treaty, the despatch says, were ratified by a unanimous vote of the Soviet executive committee with two abstentions.

STEAMSHIP CATCHES FIRE.

An Atlantic Port, Sept. 5.—An American steamship caught fire at sea and came into port today with a hold in flames which had been burning sixty hours, destroying thousands of pounds of sugar, tobacco and fruit taken on at Porto Rico. Fire boats have been working since the hold but it will be many hours before the first is extinguished.

PLACE EMBARGO ON NEWS PRINT.

Laredo, Texas, Sept. 5.—An embargo was placed on all newsprint paper exports to Mexico here today. This was said to be in answer to a recent decree of President Carranza of Mexico demanding that thirty per cent of all newsprint paper imported be turned over to the Mexican government.

Mangin's Forces Repulse Violent Counter Attacks

Only Few Machine Gunners are Left Behind

WITH THE FRENCH ARMIES IN THE FIELD, Sept. 5.—General Mangin's forces after repulsing two violent counter-attacks launched by Prussian guards against the Mont des Tombes last evening made further progress today east of Leully.

General Humbert's men crossed the Somme and Epeneacourt at night, occupying several points on the east bank. Further south the advance continued this morning with greater facility than yesterday between the Oise and the Autrecourt heights. The passage of the Somme was effected after a series of sharp engagements in which the German mountain troops contested vigorously every foot of ground.

Hidden among the bull rushes and in the hollows and reed beds of the branches of the river, the Germans were able to use their quick firs effectively compelling the pursuers now and again to slow up their progress in order to turn difficult positions. General Humbert's troops built foot bridges under the enemy's fire. The first bridges were destroyed by their builders, but other men gallantly replaced those killed, and facing a galling fire continued until pontoons and foot bridges were thrown across the stream.

This work afforded numerous occasions for acts of great heroism, among them one French soldier who the river was under fire of German sharpshooters undertook the swimming over and bringing back a row boat. Going across he dived time after time to escape the enemy bullets but braved an even more dangerous fire while rowing back. Pluckily crossing the stream under fire the French troops then attacked the enemy in the marches and weeds and in all sorts of other hiding places on the east bank and finally took the positions which were veritable nests of machine guns and pushed on toward the Peronne-Cambrai road. Ham thus is threatened from the north and outflanked south.

ESTIMATED COST OF WHEAT PRODUCTION \$2.25 PER BUSHEL

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—The average cost of wheat production was estimated at \$2.25 a bushel by J. F. Thompson, acting chief of the bureau of farm management, testifying today before the senate agriculture committee. Mr. Thompson said however, most of the wheat cost considerably less and that even with a further increase of ten per cent in costs the farmers of the central west should be able to "break even" at the primary market price of \$2.20 fixed by the president for next year's crop.

In the north central states, the cost for the crop year of 1917 ran from \$1.50 to \$3.50 a bushel, the committee was told while for a majority of growers there the cost ranged from \$1.75 to \$2.50 a bushel.

Taking into consideration the freight charges and the grade of wheat produced Senator Norris called attention to the fact that to many farmers in the central west \$2.20 a bushel at Chicago would mean only a price of from \$1.90 to \$2 a bushel for them. Mr. Thompson said however, that investigations made by the department of agriculture showed that with an increase of ten per cent in cost it would be possible for farmers in that section of the country to produce without loss even at those prices.

PREDICT ARREST OF BOMB THROWER SOON

twenty-four hours of the man who placed a bomb in the entrance of the federal building yesterday, killing four persons and injuring a score of others, was predicted tonight by federal officials. Two thousand agents of the government's investigating departments have been working on the case ever since the explosion and scores of persons known to be of radical tendencies have been arrested and questioned. Four theories are offered by the police to explain the outrage. First, that it was an I. W. W. plot to permit the escape of William D. Haywood, secretary-treasurer of the organization, who was recently sentenced to twenty years' imprisonment, after being convicted with ninety-four others of conspiring to defeat the government's war program.

Haywood was in the building at the time of the blast.

Second, that it was the work of a German sympathizer.

Third, that it was placed by an anarchist.

Fourth, that it was the work of a "crank."

ONE KILLED; 43 INJURED.

Comanche, Okla., Sept. 5.—J. E. Mills was killed and forty three injured, several seriously when three coaches of a Rock Island train were derailed near here today. The injured were members of a party of drafted men from Garfield county, Oklahoma, on their way to training camps.

AMERICANS AND FRENCH DRIVE HUN FROM AISNE

Only Few Machine Gunners are Left Behind

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE AISNE FRONT, Sept. 5.—By The Associated Press.—With the exception of a few machine gun detachments left to sacrifice themselves in an effort to cover the retreat the Germans were on the north side of the Aisne tonight.

The American and French troops are following closely on the heels of the enemy. Long before night fall the Americans had worked their way down into the lowlands towards the Aisne off the plateau from which they had been able to look over the next valley at the cathedral towers in Laon, not fifteen miles away. It is at this point where is located the heart of the present German operations. Laon is a large railroad center and must therefore be defended if the allied forces are to be prevented from driving back the German line from west and south. Retirement of Germans to positions north of the Aisne is regarded as only preliminary to the re-occupation of their old lines of defense along the Chemin-des-Dames. With their recrossing of the Aisne the second phase of the retreat from the Marne is ended. In the first they were driven back mile by mile and desperate fighting marked the yielding of every foot of ground.

So steady and rapid was the withdrawal of the Germans carried out that French cavalry was employed today to maintain contact at one or two places, the cavalry also contributing to the location of machine gun nests.

The Americans were subjected at times to a heavy artillery fire, especially while going over the plateau. For about two miles it was necessary for them to advance in the open over high ground plainly visible to the German observers.

The French and American artillery delivered a punitive fire directed against the villages and roads beyond the Aisne and shell-ed the points where machine gun nests were located. The clearing out of these nests was accomplished more by the artillery in this engagement than in previous battles. These machine guns had been left by the Germans along a line admirably constructed. The usual overwhelming number of automatics were substituted for men and these were placed, but never were they so far apart that from some angle a cross fire could be effectively used. Some sharp engagements did occur. These were brief, however, the Germans who were not killed or seriously wounded withdrawing along little communicating trenches.

The movement of the Americans over the plateau was effected without material loss, because instead of advancing in regular formations, they were filtered into and thru the lines, never presenting a satisfactory target.

PRESIDENT WILL NOT TOUR COUNTRY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—It is extremely unlikely that President Wilson will make a tour of the country in behalf of the fourth liberty loan. Because of the pending revenue legislation and other important matters the president was understood today to feel a prolonged absence from Washington this month would be unwise.

While no announcement the president would make a swing around the country for the liberty loan had been made, it was understood he was planning a trip that would take him to the Pacific Coast.

AWARDED CONTRACT TO ENLARGE CAMP GRANT

Rockford, Ill., Sept. 5.—Henry Erickson, of Chicago, was awarded a \$1,000,000 contract for extra construction at Camp Grant today. The work of enlargement will begin immediately.

U. S. AVIATOR MISSING.

With the American Army in France, Wednesday, Sept. 4.—(By The Associated Press)—Lieutenant Van Winkle, Todd of the American Aviation Forces is reported missing in action. His airplane was shot down in the enemy lines Aug. 12.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Illinois: Fair Friday and Saturday; warmer Friday and south Saturday.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Thursday were:

Jacksonville, Ill.	61	71	50
Boston	74	80	62

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A prominent German, an exile in Switzerland, knows his own countrymen, and says of them in the New York Times: "Having won half the world by bloody murder, they are going to win the other half with tears in their eyes, crying for mercy."
The greatest danger today is from peace. It is impossible to reach Berlin with our armies this winter, and any talk of peace before that is treason.

Even in the number of army nurses this country has gone over the top. Gen. Gorgas asked for 25,000 nurses to be ready for service by January 1 next. Already 27,000 have been registered and the figures show a force of nurses large enough to take care of an army of 5,000,000 men. It is the same American spirit that has dominated every war enterprise.

No wonder we are beginning to cry out "enough" when rain clouds appear. Weather records show that there has been a greater rainfall in the last 12 days than during the entire 115 days preceding. If the farmers had been consulted they would have distributed the moisture a little more evenly. But then, after all, crops will be bountiful and we have already forgotten about the dust and the heat.

The war revenue measure provides that a large percentage of war profits shall go into the U. S. treasury. Senator Smoot is radically demanding that all war profits should be taken. Col. Roosevelt has reasonably pointed out that there must be some limitation to the taxing of profits and that business is entitled to a fair amount of earnings. With all the war costs in operation and the various good causes to which the Americans can contribute, there must be a profit in business or it will not be long until there is no money to contribute or no incomes to tax.

Talk about taking time by the forelock! The Chicago Tribune is already editorially advising people to "do their Christmas

shopping early." There will no doubt be greater need "an ever for that slogan this year, for there will be no letting up in the buying but a great many less sales people to care for customers' wants. True, there will be several million Americans overseas in December, but Christmas gift galore will be sent them and gift buying will be at a high point.

The revision in wheat rules which now makes it necessary to use only 20 per cent of substitute has been hailed with delight by the housewife and grocer. Bread with 80 per cent wheat flour looks like the genuine article we had until Mr. Hoover was placed at the helm. People are pleased at the larger wheat rations but they are mighty willing to go back to the higher percentage of substitutes if the wheat supply for U. S. soldiers and those of the allies again demands it.

A liquor habit cure establishment advertises under the heading "Honest Injun, can you stop drinking?" There isn't going to be much trouble in answering this question a few months hence, according to all the signs. National prohibition during the war is a practical certainty, dating from next June. But before that day comes there will be a great increase in dry territory, for a resolution has been adopted by the senate empowering the president to declare dry zones immediately about ship yards, coal mines and in all plants where war work is in progress. Just about the greatest blow given the liquor cause these latter months was when the national coal operators' association went on record with the statement that there could not be a maximum production of coal unless the territory about the mines was made dry.

BUSINESS OF WAR SCHOOL.
Another step in the nationwide war activities of the Young Men's Christian Association in the United States will be taken when the Boston Y. M. C. A. War Program School opens Monday. The purpose of the school is to train young men in the business of war, and it is established at the request of the Federal Government.

The school will give young men of selective service are intensive training in military and naval subjects. The program, worked out in conference with officers of the United States Army and Navy is designed to avoid diverting the men who are going into the national service from their natural vocations. The school is the first of its kind to be established in the United States.

The war program will be followed by a rehabilitation program, to take care of the men who come back from service in the front line trenches. Later, when the war is over, there will be established a readaptation program

for the re-education of the men who come back from France with a new vision and new determination. The so-called rehabilitation and readaptation programs are expected to be followed out by the Y. M. C. A. generally throughout the United States.

Senator Sherman has used poor judgment in his recent attack on the president of the United States, delivered in the senate in his usual vitriolic strain. We may differ from President Wilson in political belief and in many matters of public policy, but the present is a poor time to advertise to the world our political differences. There is no lack of unity in this country on the all important question of the war, and it is the duty of every man, Democrat or Republican, or of any other party, to give the president every support possible to attain victory. The time may, probably will come, when political differences may be aired legitimately and without harm to the United States as a nation, but that time is not now, when every loyal man should stand shoulder to shoulder with the present administration, and not quibble or find fault with their efforts in this day of peril. The boast of Republicans has been and still is that the party of Lincoln has given even more loyal support to President Wilson on all war measures than has his own party. Politics may not be altogether "adjoined" but Senator Sherman's speech will fail of endorsement by a very large majority of the Republican voters.

VOLUNTEER BOND DAYS.
The Liberty Bell, official paper for the liberty loan organization of this district has the following editorial referring to the "volunteer days" which will open the coming bond campaign. On these days the people without special solicitation are asked to visit their bankers and make it known to what amount they will subscribe for bonds.

"Each Liberty Loan worker in the Eighth Federal Reserve District should take a personal interest in and exert all of his influence for making the 'Volunteer Days', September 28 and 29, the success they should be. Every church in the district ought to hear a message on Patriotism on September 28, and each member of each congregation ought to have an opportunity of making a voluntary contribution for his Nation's welfare. Saturday should witness such a line of volunteers waiting to subscribe as will send the shivers down the back of the Kaiser and his Hun hordes. The reports of the 'Volunteer Days' should be sent immediately to headquarters, that the outpourings of the people's wealth should be heard everywhere and send consternation to the enemy. The Kaiser has told his people that Americans really did not favor the war. Now is a good time to disabuse him of that erroneous opinion once for all."

SOLDIERS' INSURANCE.
The treasury department authorizes the following:
More than \$30,000,000,000 of government insurance has been written to date to protect America's fighting forces and their families. Secretary McAdoo announces.

Approximately 3,400,000 insurance applications have been received by the Bureau of War Risk Insurance of the Treasury Department up to the close of business, August 30. An unprecedented rush of business in the last fortnight has eclipsed the billion-dollar-a-week record. The total for the month of August will be approximately \$5,000,000 in new insurance applications.

Unofficial estimates indicate that the United States army is substantially more than 90 per cent insured.
New men joining the colors are almost without exception availing themselves of the maximum insurance protection permitted by law—\$10,000. In the opinion of army officers this is strengthening the morale of the nation's army to a very considerable degree.
More than 2,000,000 insurance certificates have been mailed to date. They are being dispatched at a steadily increasing rate. Persons who have been named as beneficiaries under the war-risk insurance but have not as yet received their insurance certificates are again reminded that these certificates are not essential to make the insurance protection effective.

Rippling Rhymes By Walt Mason

HOT WINDS.

The winds were tried before delivered, the corn-stalks in them curled and quivered, they shriveled in the sun; oh, now the men who run the weather should change their campaign all together—hot winds won't whip the Hun. The corn was healthy, strong and nifty; I've never seen it look more thrifty, 'twas green and full!

of juice; the farmers sat them down to figure upon a harvest three times bigger than common years produce. And then the rained weather prophet shipped in a lot of wind from Tophet, where it was doubly broiled; he turned it loose upon those regions where corn-stalks grew in rustling legions, and all the crop was spoiled. The weather man should surely catch it; he did it with his little hatchet, and can't get thru with bunk; another golden dream is busted, another hope lies dead and rusted, and only fit for junk. We are not desolate, forsaken; we have alfalfa, wheat and bacon, rolled oats and wholesome bran; we have excelsior and lettuce—the kindly gods will not forget us, the corn's an also ran. Then let us bravely bear reverses; we can't improve things much with curses, or rending of our hair, we still have prunes and beans and squashes, and we will surely whip the boches, so speak not of despair.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

September 6, 1859—Governor William H. Bissell appointed Major E. E. Ellsworth of Chicago paymaster General of the Illinois Militia.

NOTICE

We will receive and place on sale Monday with all local merchants 1 car of fancy free-stone peaches for canning. Don't place your order until we have published the retail price.
W. S. CANNON PRODUCE CO., DISTRIBUTORS

LIEUT. HUNT VISITOR

Lieut. Mark Hunt, formerly associated with the Andre store, is in this city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Andre. Lieut. Hunt is now located at Southern Field, Americus, Ga. He is in the aviation division having entered that service last January at Austin, Tex. Lieut. Hunt, enlisted in May, 1917, serving first with the cavalry on the Mexican border and afterward with the medical corps. Subsequent to his training at Austin he was transferred to Camp Dix and thence to Southern Field, where he secured his commission as an aviator.

CARTERVILLE COAL.
Lump, Egg and Nut sizes. Don't wait or cold weather. Order now.
WALTON & CO.

WILL ATTEND WELLESLEY.
Miss Rachel Hall will leave today, accompanied by her father, W. E. Hall, for Chicago and the east. Miss Hall will be a student at Wellesley college this year and will begin the work on the fall term there Sept. 16. Mr. Hall will visit a number of places in the east before returning to Jacksonville.

RETURN TO KANSAS CITY.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilbur Anderson and children have returned to their home in Kansas city after a visit with Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Duckett of Sandusky street. They drove to Jacksonville in their car but because of bad road conditions returned home by railroad.

TWO FINE SURREYS left, that we are going to SELL FOR LESS than the price of a good buggy. They are just the thing for these muddy, rainy fall days, as well as for "gas-less Sundays" and other gas-less days to follow. They are complete with tops and all curtains for use in stormy weather. Call early. These are bargains.
BRADY BROS.

AT BANKERS MEETING.
Charles A. Johnson, vice president of the Elliott State bank, went to Springfield yesterday on account of the state bankers' convention.
Frank R. Elliott of Chicago, who has been at Springfield attending the sessions of the Illinois Bankers' convention, was expected here last night for a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliott.

C. W. B. M. TO MEET.
The regular monthly meeting of the C. W. B. M. will be held with Mrs. C. K. Moore at her home, 929 West North street, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Nellie Sperry will be the leader and the discussion will be on the theme of "Christian Nations in China." Bible study will be in charge of Mrs. Sue Jordan.

NOTICE TO STUDENTS.
Take your list of school books to be filled to Lane's Book Store.
Daniel Cook was down to the city from Strawn's Crossing yesterday—very nice looking fellow.

GRADE BOOKS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

No Changes for Coming Year in Text Books—Two New Tablets Will be Used.

The following is a list of the text books to be used in the Jacksonville Public schools during the coming school year. There are no changes in the grade books and only a slight change in the tablets. The No. 94 theme tablet is added to the list as No. 23 will hereafter be used only in the grades 1-6. No. 94 will be used in grades 7, 8 and High school. Spelling tablet No. 67 will take the place of the old spelling blank which was used heretofore. The writing pad will be discontinued as the theme tablet will be used in its place. The first follows:

First Grade.	
Aldine Primer	31
Aldine First Reader	31
Work & Play with Numbers	31
Palmer Writing Lessons for Primary Grades	15
Applied Arts Drawing Book I	18
Central States Tablet—Writing Nos. 30 and 23	05
Drawing No. 75	05
Crayola	05
Pencil—Dixon Beginners No. 308	308
Second Grade.	
Holton-Curry Second Reader	32
Work & Play with Numbers	32
Wentworth-Smith Essentials of Arithmetic, Book 1	34
Palmer Writing Lessons for Primary Grades	15
Applied Arts Drawing, Book II	18
Central States Tablet—Writing Nos. 30 and 23, each	05
Drawing No. 75	05
Crayola	05
Pencil—Dixon No. 312	05
Third Grade.	
Holton-Curry Third Reader	37
Wentworth-Smith Essentials of Arithmetic, Book 1	34
McFadden, Language and Composition, Book I	37
Merrill Speller	28
Music Reader, Book I	28
Palmer Writing Lessons for Primary Grades	15
Applied Arts Drawing, Book III	18
Central States Tablet—Writing Nos. 30 and 23, each	05
Drawing No. 75	05
Spelling No. 67	05
Pencil—Dixon No. 312	05
Crayola	05
Fourth Grade.	
Holton-Curry Fourth Reader	42
Wentworth-Smith Essentials of Arithmetic, Book 1	34
McFadden, Language and Composition, Book I	37
Dodge Elementary Geog. (Ill. Edition)	55
Good Health	37
Merrill Speller	28
Music Reader, Book I	28
Palmer Method of Business Writing, Manual	20
Applied Arts Drawing, Book IV	18
Central States Tablet—Writing Nos. 30 and 23, each	05
Drawing Nos. 75 and 88	05
Spelling Nos. 75 and 88	05
Bradley Water Color Box	25
Pencil—Dixon No. 312	25
Fifth Grade.	
Holton-Curry Fifth Reader	46
Wentworth-Smith Essentials of Arith. Book II	37
McFadden, Language and Composition, Book II	37
Dodge Advanced Geography	110
Mace Primary History	60
Town and City	46
Merrill Speller	28
Music Reader, Book II	28
Palmer Method of Business Writing, Manual	20
Applied Arts Drawing, Book V	25
Central States Tablet—Writing, Nos. 23, each	05
Spelling, No. 67	05
Drawing, Nos. 76 and 88	10
each	10
Bradley Water Color Box	25
Pencil—Dixon No. 312	25
Sixth Grade.	
Holton-Curry Sixth Reader	51
Wentworth-Smith Essentials of Arith. Book II	37
McFadden, Language and Composition, Book II	37
Dodge Advanced Geography	110
Mace Primary History	60
Town and City	46
Merrill Speller	28
Music Reader, Book II	28
Palmer Method of Business Writing, Manual	20
Applied Arts Drawing, Book VI	23
Central States Tablet—Writing, No. 23, each	05
Drawing, Nos. 76 and 88	10
each	10
Spelling, No. 67	05
Bradley Water Color Box	25
Pencil—Dixon No. 312	25
Seventh Grade.	
Curry Literary Reading	69
Wentworth-Smith Essentials of Arith. Book III	42
McFadden, Language and Composition Book III	55
Dodge Advanced Geography	110
Mace School History of U. S.	92
Body and Its Defenses	60
Merrill Speller	28
Music Reader, Junior Song and Chorus Book	46
Palmer Method of Business Writing, Manual	23
Central States Tablet—Writing, No. 94, each	05
Drawing, Nos. 76 and 88	10
each	10
Spelling, No. 67	05
Bradley Water Color Box	25
Drawing Pencil	25
Eighth Grade.	
Curry Literary Reading	69
Wentworth-Smith Essentials of Arith. Book III	42
McFadden, Grammar and Composition Book III	55
Dodge Advanced Geography	110
Mace School History of U. S.	92
Body and Its Defenses	60
Merrill Speller	28
Music Reader, Junior Song and Chorus Book	46
Palmer Method of Business Writing, Manual	23
Central States Tablet—	

Writing, No. 94, each	05
Drawing, Nos. 76 and 88	10
each	10
Spelling, No. 67	05
Bradley Water Color Box	25
Drawing Pencil	25

ASHLAND WOMEN ENTERTAIN FOR GUEST

Reception for Miss Helen Garner of Des Moines, Iowa—News Notes.

Ashland, Sept. 4.—Mrs. Eugene Clemens and Mrs. Raymond Mau entertained at the latter's home Monday afternoon from 3 till 6 in honor of Helen Garner of Des Moines, Iowa.

Those present were Mrs. Wm. Gerbing, Mrs. Tom Savage, Mrs. G. Glenn, Mrs. D. S. Gailey, Ethel Shortridge, Eula and Glenn Bailey, May Kendall, Grace Bailey, Grace Bain, Mrs. Stuart Wyatt, Mrs. J. H. Lohman, Mrs. George Beggs, Mrs. U. J. Sinclair, Mrs. Julius Timian, Mrs. Frank McLaugh, Helen and Clarence Rourke, Mrs. John Graft, Belle Harding and Mrs. Fred Hexter. Miss Marjorie Higginson visited. Lorene Bailey the fore part of the week.

Mrs. D. S. Gailey was a Springfield visitor Tuesday.

NOTICE TO STUDENTS.
Bring your list of school books to LANE'S BOOKS STORE WEST STATE ST., and have it filled. We have new books and some splendid second hand books. Plenty of erasers, pencils, pen holders, crayola ink, paste, scissors and everything you will need for the coming school season.
LANE'S BOOK STORE

FOR SALE
Household goods. Mrs. T. J. Bronson, 231 Webster avenue.

CHAMBERSBURG TRAVELERS.
Mr. and Mrs. Wade Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Orr, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Talbert, all of Chambersburg, drove into the city yesterday with three autos, two for passengers and the third for baggage. They had been traveling extensively for three weeks in various parts of Michigan and other northern points, and were on their way home, after a pleasant tour of three weeks.

FANCY ALBERTA PEACHES

We have a car of Fancy Alberta Peaches due to arrive here Monday or Tuesday, and will take orders now. WHILE THEY LAST \$3.50 BU. Phone your orders to nearest store.
ECONOMY CASH STORES

MR. RATHBONE'S CAUDACITY.

In his announcement, Henry R. Rathbone, candidate for republican nomination for congressman at large, says:
It is my earnest desire to help my country and humanity in the present crisis. If elected, I pledge myself to lend all my energies to assisting the United States to win the victory and in solving the great problems of peace that will demand solution with the termination of the war. At such an hour as this patriotism is the first qualification and the final test of every candidate for public office. I am ready to be tried by that test.
Ever since our country entered the war, and long before there was a thought of my becoming a candidate, I have devoted practically my entire time to patriotic service, speaking for the Liberty Loan Committee, the Y. M. C. A., the Red Cross, the War Savings, the Four Minute Men, the State Council of Defense, and under the auspices of other organizations in this and other states.
I have always believed in the republican party as a party of patriotism. The future of our party will depend in large measure on the loyal and unselfish devotion which we give to our country and its cause. I agree with one of our presidents, who said: "He serves his party best who serves his country best."
If the people of Illinois show their confidence in me by electing me congressman at large, I shall strive to the utmost of my ability to meet in full the responsibilities of that office.
The hats shown for men this fall consists of many new novel effects that appeals to those wanting a change from the regular Hat formerly shown. A large assortment now ready.
FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

SCOTTS THEATRE TODAY

WALLACE REID
—In—
"NAN OF MUSIC MOUNTAIN"

Paramount Picture
Absence makes the heart grow fonder. It made De Spain's (Wallace Reid) great warm heart fairly bubble over and caused him to venture life and limb to get "the best girl in the world." Don't miss this great heart interest story.
Also a Good Comedy
BILLY MASON
—In—
'HELP, HELP, POLICE'
5c and 10c
Plus 1 Cent War Tax

Elliott State Bank

Saving Deposits made during the FIRST TEN DAYS of September will bear interest from the FIRST of the month

Elliott State Bank

I Am Still SELLING FARMS and CITY PROPERTY

A 40 acres for \$3000! A nice 40 acres for \$6000! A good level black farm 170 acres \$225 per acre. A nice 100 acres, \$235 per acre. 200 acres at \$250 per acre.

An extra nice 7 room modern cottage, \$3000, and some rare bargains in city property. Come in and let me show you what I have to offer.

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For every animal on your place, large or small quantities, whether it be for

Horse, Cow, Hog, Chicken

You will find quality and price most satisfactory.

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Quality, Right Prices &
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Dorwart's
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Maxwell Cars

1 1918 Model 5 Passenger Car complete	\$875
1 1917 Model 5 Passenger Car complete	\$600
1 1916 Model 5 Passenger Car complete	\$400

These cars are ready for delivery at Maxwell Garage.
More new bicycles coming in a few days.

Three Second Hand Bicycles for sale at reasonable prices.

W. H. NAYLOR
214-216 West Morgan St.

COMING
TO HELL WITH THE KAISER

Luttrell's Majestic Theatre
Wednesday and Thursday
September 11-12
Watch for Further Particulars

CITY AND COUNTY

Squire J. B. Beaman, of Pisgah, was a city caller yesterday. Joseph Smith was a city arrival from Alexander yesterday. John Snyder helped represent Alexander in the city yesterday. J. W. Arnold has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Do You Want a

WRIST WATCH

for a
SOLDIER
or a
LADY

You Will Find
What You Need

-at-

RUSSELL
and
THOMPSON

Jewelers
Russell & Lyon Store
The

George Kirby of Franklin was one of the city arrivals yesterday. James Dodson helped represent Murrayville in the city yesterday. A. L. Hood of the Peacock Inn has gone to Chicago on business. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gibbs traveled to the city yesterday. Amos Howard and wife were up to the city from Girard yesterday. E. K. Stein of Pisgah was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Ausmus of Pisgah was a visitor in the city yesterday. George L. Kimber was up to the city from Waverly yesterday. T. E. Cockin, of Alexander, was a traveler to the city yesterday. John Shelton was a city arrival from Woodson yesterday.

Miss Alma Smith, of Alexander, was a shopper with city merchants yesterday. James Fitzpatrick and son were callers from Lynnville in the city yesterday.

M. V. Drenden and wife, of Plainfield, were among the visitors in the city yesterday. Miss Clara E. Corzine, of Jonesboro, was one of the city's callers yesterday.

Roy Sevier, of Waverly, was attending to his interests in the city yesterday. D. M. McCarthy, of the vicinity of Franklin, was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

John V. Ayers, of Monticello, helped swell the list of city callers yesterday. R. R. Torrens, of Fielden, was added to the list of city guests yesterday.

Rae Hall, of Versailles, made a business trip to the city yesterday. Miss Emma Hall helped represent Kampsville in the city yesterday.

Mrs. A. A. Rawlings and daughter were city shoppers from Franklin yesterday. Miss Nannie O'Donnell, of Winchester, was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Lucy A. Shaw and Mrs. J. B. Brant, of Summer Hill, were visitors in the city yesterday.

F. W. Garwood, of Peoria, was calling on local druggists yesterday.

Mrs. C. R. Sperry and Miss Helen Sperry, of Bushnell, were Thursday visitors in the city. W. G. Spears, of Tallula, was called to the city on business yesterday.

Lee A. Sullivan, of Roodhouse, was attending to business matters in the city yesterday. Miss Albertine E. Metzner, of Plymouth, Wis., was a visitor in the city yesterday.

S. U. Burnett, of Waverly, was calling on friends in the city Thursday.

John Alger, of Monticello, was attending to business matters in the city yesterday. Mrs. Cora Beerup of Alexander was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

John Waters and family of New Berlin were city arrivals yesterday. Dr. Waters of Murrayville was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

W. T. Mulligan of New Berlin made a business trip to the city yesterday. Fletcher Mulligan was a traveler from Chapin to the city yesterday.

Lloyd Hiser of Jay Prairie was among the visitors in the city yesterday. Frank O. Brown of Waverly was among the callers in the city yesterday.

E. B. Chrisman of Merritt was one of the business visitors in the city yesterday. P. J. Crotty of Woodson was among the travelers to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Aaron Hodgson of Sinclair was a shopper with city merchants yesterday. George James and wife were city visitors from Scottville yesterday.

Miss Sadie Walker was among the city visitors from Carrollton yesterday. Miss Emma Goldsmith of Palmyra was a visitor with city people yesterday.

Roy McKinney of the vicinity of Winchester was among the callers in the city yesterday. Crum Cleary of the northeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Hall of Meredosia was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday. Mrs. A. Yeck and family journeyed from Concord to the city yesterday.

Mrs. H. Vannier and daughter were city arrivals from Bluffs yesterday. William Beekman of the southeast part of the county was a caller in the city yesterday.

Charles Strawn helped represent Alexander in the city yesterday. J. W. Wallace of Chapin had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Strawn of Alexander were among the visitors in the city yesterday. Herbert Chaffner of Joy Prairie was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Misses Rose and Theresa Ludwig of Alexander were city shoppers yesterday. John Wilkinson of Woodson was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barber of the vicinity of Woodson were travelers to the city yesterday. Mrs. E. E. Mason of Alexander was a shopper with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mrs. Edward King of Virginia was among the shoppers in the city yesterday. G. D. Barnes was a city representative of Manchester in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kitchen, of the vicinity of Lynnville, were among the city callers yesterday. William Hicks, of Nortonville.

Awaiting The Joyful Sound

The Wonderful Music that Bursts Forth When the Stork Arrives.



Who can forget that little brassy cry that echoes the arrival of the new baby?

Before baby comes the mother should get in condition to meet the crisis.

Thousands of women have used the safe and reliable application, Mother's Friend, during the waiting months, and they relate how they entirely escaped nausea, nervousness, bearing down and stretching pains and many other debilitating and disheartening experiences which so illy fit the mother for the greatest time in a woman's life.

Mother's Friend is a wonderful help to nature in relieving strain and distress brought about by expanding muscles. The nerves, too, will be calm, making the period one of cheerful days and restful nights.

The breasts are kept in good condition and the abdominal muscles relax with ease when baby is born.

Mother's Friend makes it possible for the expectant mother herself to actually aid nature in the glorious work to be performed, and no woman should neglect or fail to give nature a helping hand. It will mean infinitely less pain at the crisis.

Mother's Friend is for external use only, is absolutely safe and wonderfully effective. It is prepared by the Bradford Regulator Co., Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. Write them for their "Motherhood Book," so valuable to expectant mothers.

Procure a bottle of this famous remedy, which has been used by women with the greatest success for over half a century from the druggist today, and thus fortify yourself against pain and discomfort.

was a visitor in the city yesterday. Alexander Story helped represent Murrayville in the city yesterday.

Andrew Cooper, of the vicinity of Lynnville, was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Edward Greenwood, of Rural Route No. 6, was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

J. W. Ledford, of the east part of the county, was a traveler to the city yesterday. Dr. J. H. Fountain, of Chapin, was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mr. Andrew Harris, of the east part of the county, was a shopper in the city yesterday.

John Cully, of Asbury neighborhood, was looking after his interests in the city yesterday. Benjamin Cully, of Joy Prairie, was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

Mrs. Dan Moy and children, of the east part of the county, were travelers to the city yesterday. Benjamin Allen, of Sinclair, called on some of his Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Frank Hiser, of Joy Prairie, was a traveler to the city yesterday. Russell Duncan, of Manchester, was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

William Cleary, of the region of Strawn's Crossing, was a caller on Jacksonville people yesterday. Carl Hembrough, of Asbury neighborhood, was among the business men of the city yesterday.

John Carlson, a prominent merchant of Murrayville, was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday.

John Alexander, of the east part of the county, was transacting business in the city yesterday. Mrs. Albert Coultas, of the vicinity of Winchester, was a shopper with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mrs. Woodbury Howe and Miss Josephine Howe, of Wichita, Kans., were visitors in the city Thursday.

G. L. Davis, of Slater, Mo., is visiting the family of G. D. Barnes of Manchester, and was a city caller yesterday.

If you expect to buy a SWEATER, now is the time, and FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store the place as you may not be able to secure a desirable one later.

Charles DeVin has been changed from Camp Dix, New Jersey, to the 35th Ambulance Co., 315 Sanitary Train, A. E. F.

Frank Kiloran was in Chicago Thursday, to bring back two colored boys, Frank and Harold Elms, who ran away from home Tuesday.

Mrs. Wain Marshall and children of Beardstown, were visitors yesterday with Mrs. Marshall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, on South Church street.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Curtis, of Kansas City, are spending a few days with City Clerk and Mrs. R. L. Pyatt. Dr. Curtis is Mrs. Pyatt's brother and resided here for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hoffman and son Jack are down from Chicago for a visit with Mr. Hoffman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Eckard Hoffman of this city.

Mrs. Ben Leary of Beardstown was in the city yesterday looking for apartments for herself and daughter who is to attend Brown's Business College.

Joseph Heary, of Athensville, Greene county, was in the city yesterday to visit Robert Caffery who is a patient at Our Savior's hospital and is improving in a gratifying manner. Mr. Heary was accompanied by some relatives of the invalid.

He had an urgent invitation to visit the Old Salem Chautauqua, as he was so well acquainted with it for many years. He made one attempt, when rain spoiled the day and decided not to try it again.

Lloyd Piner is here from Racine, Wis., for a visit with relatives and to see his little son and daughter, who make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green, of the Sinclair neighborhood.

Piner has been connected with the Webster Electric Co. at Racine for some time past.

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BRADY BROS.

TO ATTEND UNIVERSITY.

Edward Tomlinson was in Urbana yesterday arranging for the special course of study that he will take during the coming term. In addition to his regular work he is very apt to be heard from in the athletics of the university and will also have some military training.

HOUSE WANTED
5 or 6 room modern house by Oct. 1.

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AID SOCIETY WILL
SERVE DINNER.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Woodson Christian church will serve a chicken dinner at the home of Mrs. Charles Harney, Thursday, September 12, at noon. The ladies will take place of their dinners and this collection will have all the essentials that go to make up a good meal.

LADIES who have compared the Furs shown by FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store are confident the prices quoted and styles shown are most attractive.

BRITISH WAR PUBLICITY PAYS

C. F. Higham, Widely Known In America, Tells How Government Departments Advertise.

How the British Government has been helping instead of hampering newspaper advertising is explained by the honorary publicity agent of various British departments in a letter to James Keely, obtained in response to an inquiry made by Roger W. Babson, director of the information and education service of the Department of Labor. The letter follows:

"Dear Mr. Keely: In reply to the query of the Chief of the Division of Information and Education, Mr. Roger W. Babson, in regard to the attitude of the British Government toward the British press, I would like to say that the British Government, not only relies upon, but encourages in every way the newspapers of this country. They have placed no restrictions on the press in regard to the sort of advertising they should carry or how much of it they should carry, and neither have they interfered in any way with the business side of the newspapers other than to arrange for them to only use a proportion of the paper or pulp which they used in previous years, owing to the lack of supplies coming into the country. Even there the object was to see that as far as possible all newspapers should be kept in circulation. The only other restriction I know of that has been placed on the newspapers is the press bureau which regulates the distribution of news. The British Government believes that the press of this country is most essential in the proper carrying on of the war.

"In regard to advertising—all the advertisements that have appeared in the press on behalf of the government departments of this country are paid for at scale rates, or more, as in the case of war bonds and war savings certificates. Where in a great many of the newspapers there are two rates, one for trade and one for general, the Government pays a rate half way between these two rates. There has never been any question of the Government asking for free advertising in this country, neither have they expected it. One can not expect a newspaper to give up the bulk of its editorial space in support of the war and then give up its revenue columns at the same time.

"This paid advertising has been extraordinarily successful. The cost of the treasury advertising in the raising of loans works out at roughly one-thirty-eighth of 1 per cent, which I think you will agree is extremely economical.

"The advertising of non-essential commodities has decreased, not because of any interference on the part of the Government, but owing to the fact that the newspapers use their good judgment there and only find room for the necessities and give second place to the non-essentials. All trade-marked goods are advertised regularly as before, though they can not use such large space as previously, but their advertising in a more modified form is there just the same. I think this answers Mr. Babson's queries. If it does not, I should be pleased to give you any further information you may require.

"In writing to Mr. Babson you might wish to have some authority for the statements which I make. I might tell him that the man who gave you the information is the honorary publicity agent to the treasury, the national war savings committee, the Admiralty and other Government departments."

The letter is signed by C. F. Higham, who is widely known in this country and formerly held important business positions here.

RE-EMPLOYMENT OF TEXTILE WORKERS

German Government Completes Investigation on Occupations for Wounded Soldiers.

Germany has just completed a thorough investigation on the employment of wounded soldiers in the textile industries, the results of which may prove of great value to American manufacturers as well as to the War and Labor Departments.

Robert Albert, of Augustsburg, Alsace, describes the investigation in a survey received by the Red Cross Institute for Crippled and Disabled Soldiers in New York.

Eight German textile associations were engaged in the investigation. The conclusions reached provide for the utilization of many crippled soldiers, but it is strongly urged that men who have lost their hearing should not be employed at textile machinery.

Men who have lost an eye can work only two looms, instead of three, which men with normal eyes are able to handle. The industry will be able to place such men, however.

SPRINGFIELD PRESBYTERY.

The fall session of the Springfield Presbytery will be held in Petersburg, September 16-23, and various matters of special interest will be considered. The presbytery has recently granted letters of transfer to Rev. J. L. Coleman, of Auburn, who is going to the Salt River Presbytery of Missouri. Arrangements have been made by the presbytery for the installation of Dr. John T. Thomas as pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Springfield. The services will take place Thursday, September 19. Pastors who will take part will be Rev. A. G. Bergen, Rev. S. W. McFadden and Rev. Marion Humphries, of Springfield; Rev. Donald MacLeod, of St. Louis, and Rev. George H. Simonson, of Danville.

William Wilding was down to the city from Strawn's Crossing yesterday.

THE "GENIE" OF FRANCE.

No wonder the French called their engineers "genie," thinking of the "Arabian Nights," and the genie that came out of the vase and accomplished all those wonders. They are the perfection of mathematicians. They have figured out the influence of the earth on a shell traveling out of the cannon; how much farther it will shoot north than south; how much the height of the moon deflects the shot, and what is called the ultimate error of the cannon shot is disappearing under their mathematics. If a commander cannot point a cannon within ten feet of the shot he is not counted a success. That is an engineering triumph and mathematical triumph of the highest degree.

Somebody asked me tonight how they located the guns, and whether by aeroplanes. I said, "Not alone. There are three ways of doing it—spot flashing, sound ranging, and then the aeroplane to check both up." The most uncanny thing is sound ranging; it is shooting around the corner, surely. They have a very delicately devised wire that is heated red hot and so sensitive that if you blow your breath on it it goes out. They put up six or eight of these wires at different points, all connected by electricity back to the central station, and then have a moving picture machine. When an enemy gun goes off a button is pushed and the moving picture machine goes into action, and as the vibration of that gun reaches each one of these stations there is a little quiver in the line that is printed on that film, and when it comes out it is handed over to the officer and he goes to a carefully calculated table and proceeds to locate that gun by the vibrations taken miles away from where the recording instrument was transmitted underground by wires buried six feet and brought back to this little encasement of his and printed; and those little strips of paper come back and locate the gun that fired that shot. Then he proves it by spot flashing, and as the sound travels from one place to another a number of people push a button, and knowing that sound travels so many meters a minute, they prepare a map on which to locate it. Because paper expands and contracts, they make the map of zinc and they cut the paper in two-inch squares so that nothing in accuracy shall be lost by the expansion or contraction of the paper under the heat and dampness. They have a parabola around it with every-

thing calculated, and stretch six strings around that, and when the six strings get over the same spot there is the gun, and when the other six strings get over there they are sure it is there, and then they get the airman to fly over it and he can see if they are right, and it is nine out of ten if they drop a shot over there that that gun goes out of business. That is engineering again. That is progress beyond the point where men set up a right angled corner to set up a stone wall to put up a cheap house.

Major General Charles M. Clement, U. S. A., in "Engineering News Record."

GOES TO WASHINGTON.

L. H. Krause, for the past seven years representative of the Simmons Hardware company of St. Louis with headquarters in Jacksonville, will leave today for Washington, D. C., to enter government service. He will be in the department of wood, hard-

ware and metal. B. J. Carr, of Hannibal, will take Mr. Krause's place here. During his residence here Mr. Krause has won many friends, who regret to see him leave, but will wish him success in his new work.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH BROTHERHOOD TONIGHT.

This evening at 6:30 the members of the Congregational church brotherhood and all male members of the church and congregation are invited to an open meeting of the brotherhood. Supper at the hour named and after that an interesting program. All male members of the church and congregation are urged to be present.

IS NOW SAFELY OVER.

Mrs. E. A. Kelly, of 536 South Clay avenue, has received word of the safe arrival of her son-in-law, Irwin E. Ingram, of Los Angeles, Cal.

Mark the Graves of the Departed

Times change, but the custom of placing lasting monuments of stone or marble on the final resting places of relatives will always endure.

MONUMENT WORK A SPECIALTY

We offer you a most extensive stock of materials including Montello Granite. Our years of specialized experience in designing are at your service. The prices mean a saving of an agent's commission.

JOHN NUNES
Ill. Phone 32; Bell 109 602 North Main St.

VANNIER'S

Special bargain in Navy Beans at 15c lb.
E. C. Corn Flakes, Maple Flakes and Washington Crisps, while they last at 10c box.
Yellow Corn Flour, while it lasts, at 5c lb.
Fresh Cottage Cheese every day.

Black Navy Beans, only a small quantity left to close out at 8c per lb.

Vannier China & Coffee House
Ill phone 150 We Pay and Want Cash Bell 150

Safety First

Safety First has become a slogan in railroading, in factories and in all organized business. There is no place where it applies with greater force than in money matters. Don't risk your capital in some enticing venture, or you may lose it all. Whatever chances you take, LEAVE PART OF YOUR MONEY IN THIS BANK, where it will be found when needed.

F. G. Farrell & Company
Bankers



Everything in Hardware

ICE CREAM FREEZERS
COAL OIL STOVES
REFRIGERATORS
BICYCLES
BOYS' WAGONS

FIELD FENCE
BARBED WIRE
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ROOFING
SCOOP SHOVELS

Highest Quality

Lowest Prices

FOR SALE
Store Counters Type Writer Roll Top Desk

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FAIRM PROPERTY
No. 41. Eighty acres one mile from Franklin, timber soil, somewhat rolling, with some timber. Five room house, barn for 10 horses, corn crib, carriage shed and other buildings. Price \$150.00 per acre.

No. 42. 160 acres, one-half black land and well tiled, eighty acres in grass. This farm is well fenced and well improved and is a rare bargain for \$150.00 per acre, for a very special bargain. Let us show you.

No. 35. Three miles from Jacksonville we have 120 acres running from black land to timber edge land, with a neat little cottage, barn for seven horses, new corn crib, large granary and other buildings. This is on the market for a very short time and price will be made on application.

No. 43. 100 acres, three miles from Orleans, on State road, no improvements. Price \$185.00 per acre.

No. 44. We have a nice suburban property with ten acres of excellent land, in the west part of the city. There is a six room house, large barn, corn crib and chicken house. Buildings all in good shape and just recently painted. Price \$8,500. Will consider farm land in exchange.

No. 45. 80 acres south of the city, nearly all in grass, with a fine set of improvements, at \$125.00 per acre; \$1,000 cash, five years time on balance.

No. 46. 80 acres, mostly all level land, all fenced hog tight, no improvement.

No. 47. 40 acres fine farming land, well tiled in meadow and forty acres of excellent blue grass with plenty of everlasting water from spring. Price \$150, will take some city property in exchange.

CITY PROPERTY
(A) In the second ward we have a neat little three room cottage with good sized lot and garden spot with well and cistern for \$1,000. \$400 cash and balance three years.

(B) In the second ward we have a splendid eight room modern house, nearly new and in excellent shape for \$4,000; \$1,500 cash time on balance.

SPECIAL—On State Street we have a well known residence which has been occupied by the present owner for nearly thirty years that we are offering for sale. This is splendid property containing five lots, running from street to street. The house is of the comfortable spacious type, well built and well arranged and well preserved. The oak floors are of high quality. From basement to attic much money has been spent for modern convenience. There is a good barn and garage in the rear with a fine back yard. This property is most suitable for a good sized family or is ideal for a rooming house, because of its location and management. Owner will sell on easy terms or exchange for farm land.

MONEY
We are still loaning money. Call or phone us your wants.
Room 303 Ayers Bank Building
Phones: Illinois 1329 Res. 322

SNIPER KILLED
LIEUT. DICKSON

Letter From Glenn Skinner Indicates That Local Officer Was Killed After Charge—Death Came Instantly.

That Lieutenant Harrison Dickson is dead seems to be well authenticated by a letter received by Mrs. Olive Skinner from her husband, who is in service in France. The letter does not mention any name there is little doubt but that Mr. Skinner refers to Lieut. Dickson whose death was reported here last Sunday. The letter was written on August 11, and the official report stated Dickson was killed on Aug. 9. The letter follows:

Sunday, 5 p. m., Aug. 11, 1918. France, Same Place.

Dearest Olive and All:— Well, I didn't get time to write during the week, so I will do so now. Our overseas mail was due in today but it didn't get here but will be here tomorrow, so you see I haven't got a letter from you since I wrote last Sunday but I have a feeling that I will get one tomorrow. I got five letters yesterday, dated June 15-20.

Fountain pen just run out of ink. I have enjoyed the "Courier and Post" in the one of June. If where I have arrived safely in France. Ha! Ha!

Well, Olive, I have got some bad news. One of our friends got killed yesterday. You know him better than I did. He had just made a charge with his men and was "copping in a trench looking at a map with another officer and German snipers got them both. He was killed instantly. As I said before he was sniping over a map at the time and the bullet went in his upper forehead, came out his chin and went directly thru his heart. He simply pitched over dead. A fellow told us who was within ten feet when it happened. I wish I could tell you his name but we are not allowed to do that until after the casualty list is published. You will probably see it in the paper before you get this, but if you don't you mustn't breathe a word of it outside the family for it would be awful for his mother to hear about it before she is officially notified. Guess you know who I mean. I sure am sorry aren't you. He was originally an officer in Co. B.

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Lump, Egg and Nut sizes.
Don't wait or cold weather.
Order now.
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Y. M. C. A. DEDICATES
NEW SERVICE FLAG

Flag Was Made and Given to Association by Mrs. L. L. Recker—Carries One Gold Star.

A new service flag was displayed at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday. The flag was made by Mrs. L. L. Recker, wife of the superintendent of the building. It represents 114 members and carries one gold star. This star is for Ralph Loren Bartlett, who died recently at Camp Taylor.

Lieutenant Harrison Dickson also was a member of the "Y" and a gold star will be added for him. Other members are reported to have made the supreme sacrifice. All of these cases will be traced and gold stars added as they are verified.

Men's underwear in many weights are shown by FRANK BYRN'S Hat Store.

Miss Frances Alkire has returned from Normal, Ill., where she attended the second summer term at the Normal University.

I'm buying War Stamps.
Of course - says Bobby.
I'm also eating
POST TOASTIES
(MADE OF CORN)
THEY SAVE WHEAT

GET READY
FOR FALL
WEATHER

Your coal needs if entrusted to us will receive our earnest and careful attention.

SPRINGFIELD
—and—
CARTERVILLE
Screened
Lump
Of Very Best Grades.

WALTON & CO.
Phones 44

WINCHESTER WOMAN
SEVERELY BURNED

Mrs. Grace Northcott Dropped Lighted Lamp—Scott County Soldiers Left for Camp Custer—News Notes.

Winchester, Sept. 5.—Mrs. Grace Northcott met with a very painful and serious accident at her home in the northeast part of town at about 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening. Mrs. Northcott, who has been in very poor health for an extended period, attempted to carry a lighted lamp and in her weakened condition she dropped it, setting fire to her clothing and a nearby bed. The lower part of her body was severely burned. Dr. J. W. Eickman was called and with the assistance of neighbors did everything possible to relieve her suffering. The extent of Mrs. Northcott's injuries cannot yet be fully determined.

Miss Frances Wallace left Thursday for a visit with friends in Jacksonville.

Harry Martin has resigned his position with the Hainsfurther Bros. dry goods store and will leave Saturday for Lincoln, Neb., where he has accepted a position in the grocery store of Elmer Rankin, formerly a resident of Winchester. Mr. Martin's family will remain in Winchester for a short time. Their many friends here will regret to see them leave the city. Claude Burrows will take the position left vacant by Mr. Martin's leaving. He will speak at the Baptist church Sunday.

Charles W. Jones, son of James Jones of Girard, and Miss Edith Killbuck were married Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of the bride near Glasgow. The ceremony was held by Rev. W. R. Johnson in the presence of a small company of relatives and friends of the young couple. The ring service being used. Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served and friends extended heartfelt congratulations. Mr. Jones will soon enter the U. S. army service as a machinist. Mrs. Mike Heiman arrived here Thursday afternoon from Arenzville to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Evans.

Miss Jennie Dugan arrived home Thursday afternoon from Jacksonville after being at Our Savior's hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

A supper was given for departing soldiers tonight at the Baptist church basement by members of the church. A very large number was present and a splendid cafeteria supper was served. Later the people gathered in the auditorium of the church and joined in a community sing. They were accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Eckman at the organ and a band made up of citizens. Later all joined in the procession to the station where at 11:12 the boys embarked for Camp Custer.

Mrs. Jennie Stewart of Alsey has taken a position at the Hainsfurther Bros. dry goods store.

Some months ago citizens of Winchester purchased a fire alarm and there was no occasion to use it until tonight. It proved a disappointment as the going could not be heard more than a block away from the place where it is stationed. Unless some means can be found for increasing the "noise" the alarm will not be of much value.

NOTICE TO PARENTS
We have all the books needed in the grades. Send your children here with their list.
Lane's Book Store.

NORTONVILLE.
Uncle Ben Jones is seriously ill and not expected to last many days.

Nortonville school started Monday morning. Miss Gordon teaches the advanced room and Miss Crawford the other.

Mrs. Laura Sooy motored to Jacksonville Saturday to see E. E. Crabtree, to turn over the Red Cross picnic money that was made here, but failed to see him as he was out of town.

The Youngblood Baptist church will have a called meeting Saturday afternoon. Elect a pastor for the coming year.

Oleta, Irene and Lula Kelly were in Jacksonville Saturday.

Tom Oxley and wife went to St. Louis, Tuesday. They also received a letter from their son, Lawrence, that he was on the waters, en route for France.

WEST JACKSONVILLE CHARGE
West Jacksonville Charge will hold the fourth quarterly conference at the Y. M. C. A. reading room Saturday afternoon at 2:30. A full attendance should be expected at this important meeting. There will be sacramental services Sunday at both Ebenezer and Wesley chapels. There will be a reception of members and baptismal services in addition to the Lord's supper.

RETURNED FROM VISIT WITH SON IN HOSPITAL.
Mrs. Harry E. Perry, Sr., residing northeast of town, has returned after a visit with her son, Harry Jr., who is in the West hospital at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana. He has been a patient there for the past six weeks, but is on the road to recovery. Harry is in the 22nd Engineers, Co. L, and likes his work very much, but regrets very much that his company have all left him and he was not able to go with them. Although he is very weak, he expects to be out soon and on his way "over there."

LIEUT. WILLIAMSON COMING TODAY.
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Williamson are expecting a visit from their son, Lieut. Harlan Williamson, who was recently commissioned, having completed his aviation training at Brooks Field, near San Antonio, Tex. He has been granted a ten days' furlough and is expected here today.

PROHIBITION THEME
FOR DISCUSSION

Rev. M. P. Boynton Addressed Mass Meeting at Court House Thursday Night.

A rousing meeting was held at the court house last evening in favor of prohibition in this country. A. T. Capps called the meeting to order and explained that Mr. Landis, who was to address the meeting, was unable to be present and in his place that Rev. M. P. Boynton, secretary of the state headquarters league, a Baptist minister of Chicago, would speak. The gentleman was a forceful speaker and was heard with great interest throughout. He said in brief: "The eyes of the nation are turned upon the grand old state of Illinois and it must be that we will send men to the legislature who will ratify the national prohibition amendment. You should vote for men who can be depended upon to vote right on this question. The anti-saloon forces are now laboring strenuously to bring about this great result. This is the result of years of hard work. Much credit is due the prohibition party for keeping alive this issue and urging it before the people, although it was put up in the most practical form by the Anti-Saloon league.

State Mostly Dry
"I am proud to say that Illinois is so largely dry. Aside from Chicago and East St. Louis, but a few spots remain, nearly 90 per cent of the state being dry territory. And now it behooves us to see that the grand old state of Illinois goes dry. And if Illinois sets the pace next January we may be certain not only that thirty-six states will ratify this amendment but that even the whole forty-eight will do the same.

"This is the first war in which there has not been an anti-war party in Illinois during the Civil war. There were 180,000 men opposed to Abraham Lincoln. When the state of Illinois was to be admitted to the Union Judge Pope believed that the northern line might be extended several counties that there might be a port on Lake Michigan, that the south might not dominate and that eastern immigrants might be attracted and the state might be at Lake Michigan the great metropolis of the west. Then only Ft. Dearborn was there, and you know the rest. And now when Illinois gave Lincoln and Grant and Logan and Yates and all the great hosts in the cause of the union, shall we fall in this great crisis, or shall we send men to the legislature who will bring a ringing vote cast the ballot of Illinois for protection for prosperity and for the grandeur of the nation? I believe we will."

VERNON DALHART
HEARD IN RECITAL

Famous Artist Heard in Program of Unusual Interest—Voice Recreated.

The concert held at Northminster church last evening was a unique affair. The guests, whose number included most of the music lovers of Jacksonville, assembled at the prospect of hearing a recital by the celebrated Mr. Vernon Dalhart. But a surprise was in store for them. Not only Mr. Dalhart, but two songs were sung by means of a graceful cabinet, which stood beside the artist, on the stage, and matched the performance, note for note and tone for tone.

The first performance of the miracle was in the initial number on the program, when Mr. Dalhart, standing beside the cabinet, sang in unison with Mr. Eusebio's Re-Creation of his own voice. In the midst of the song, Mr. Dalhart's lips ceased to move, but his song went on without a break. Slowly it dawned upon the audience that the artist was no longer singing, but his voice came forth to them as clear and sweet as ever. He sang again—and the only perceptible difference was the motion of his lips. He ceased—but his voice did not. Veritably, it seemed that there were two singers upon the stage—two singers, but only the voice.

Successive numbers on the program proved that the field of the New Edison is not limited to vocal records. An orchestra selection was Re-Created with such fidelity that it was possible to follow the notes of any single instrument throughout the piece, for the identity of each was preserved, contributing its special color to the ensemble. A Re-Creation of a number on the piano was a revelation to those who had dreamed after hearing talking machine records, that the piano tune could not be reproduced. Further numbers in which Mr. Dalhart performed served to convince the audience of their inability to distinguish between Re-Created art and its original.

The climax of the evening's entertainment was when the room was darkened in the middle of one of Mr. Dalhart's selections, and the listeners were left with no means but their ears of determining when they were hearing his voice in double volume, and when it reached them only from the New Edison. At first everyone doubted his own ability to judge, but as his previous proofs were forgotten in the spell of the song, they became more and more convinced that no instrument could sing as this voice was singing, and that Mr. Dalhart was making no mere breaks in his performance. Then the lights were snapped on and the audience discovered that Mr. Dalhart was not there at all, and that the New Edison had furnished the song alone.

THE BIRTH RECORD.

Relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Curry have received the news of the arrival of a daughter at their home in Louisville, Ky. The young lady's name is Lucille Jacquelin. The message was received by Joseph Jackson and A. A. Curry.

Social Events

Informal dance was given at Peacock Inn.

An informal dance was given Thursday evening in the blue room at the Peacock Inn in honor of Vivian and Vernon Richardson of Edinburg, Illinois. The dance was given by Leonard Potter, Lewis Weber and Harry Cain. Randall's Orchestra furnished the music. About fourteen couples were present.

Gave Afternoon Company.
Mrs. M. G. Frampton of Claremont, Cal., was the guest of honor at a company given Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Charles H. Smith and Miss Marian Fairbank at the home of Mrs. Frampton. The guests and the occasion was one of great pleasure.

Entertainment for Soldier.
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Butler entertained at their home, near Woodson, Tuesday night, about sixty young people, the party being in honor of Edwin Butler, who will leave Friday for camp. The house was decorated in the national colors, vines and flowers. A bleeding heart party, mock wedding and dancing furnished plenty of amusement for the young people. During the evening Miss Beatrice Anderson, in behalf of the young people, presented to Mr. Butler a signed ring, asking that he wear it as a reminder of Woodson. At midnight the hostess served light refreshments to the guests, who soon after departed.

Mr. Butler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Butler, and is a young man of good habits, who is held in high regard by the surrounding community. His many friends join in wishing him the best of success during his camp life.

Queens of Avalon Met.

The Queens of Avalon gave a party Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. T. H. Rapp, on South East street, in honor of Miss Daisy Ferreira, who is at home on a brief visit from Washington. There were fourteen young ladies in the company.

Refreshments were served, games played and the occasion was in various ways made enjoyable. The company was very interested in Miss Ferreira's description of her life in Washington.

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DEATHS

Escorse.
Joseph Escorse a resident of this city and vicinity all his life, died at his home a short distance northeast of Jacksonville at 11 o'clock Thursday morning after a illness extending over a period of more than a year.

Deceased was the son of Joseph and Dantine Escorse, his parents being two of the original Portuguese exiles who came to Jacksonville in 1849. He was born in this city May 25, 1854, being at the time of death, 64 years, 3 months and 11 days old. He was united in marriage to Mrs. Mary DeFretas Reis, who survives together with the following children, Rosaline, Carrie and Anna, residing at home Mrs. Manuel Baptist and Mrs. Sander Baptist, of this city; Mrs. Manuel DeFretas of Decatur, and Anderson, Escorse of Boardman. He also leaves two brothers, James A. and Henry, both of Jacksonville and two grandchildren.

Mr. Escorse was a member of Northminster church and always took an active interest in the work of that body. He also was a member of the Portuguese Philanthropic society. He followed the occupation of farming and was accounted a citizen of worth and integrity.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from Northminster church with burial in Jacksonville cemetery.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Frances Gerst, who has had a long siege of typhoid fever at Our Savior's hospital, has so far recovered that she will be able to return to her home on South West street in the course of a few days.

Mrs. Guy Lynn, of Spaulding Place, was taken to Our Savior's hospital Thursday night and will undergo an operation today. Mrs. Lynn's condition last night was accounted as quite serious.

BIRTH RECORD

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davenport, of Orleans, at Our Savior's hospital, Thursday morning, a daughter—Elizabeth May.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Wagner, 873 North Prairie street, a son—third son and fifth child.

RETURNS TO CAMP.

Corporal Hardin Sheppard has returned to Camp Custer, after a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sheppard. Corporal Sheppard gave a very interesting description of surroundings at Camp Custer and was very much pleased with life there. He is both hoping and expecting early service overseas.

EDGAR OXLEY BUYS FARM.

Mrs. Mae Black, of Jacksonville, has sold her farm of 200 acres, near Durbin church, known as the Davis place, to Edgar Oxley, for \$200 an acre. Possession is to be given in the spring.—Franklin Times.

Journal Sullivan has left at the journal office, a picture of a company of engineers stationed at Camp Dix. The picture includes his brother, William L. Sullivan and other Jacksonville boys.

MATRIMONIAL

Gaddis-Pires.
James T. Gaddis of Concord and Miss Olive A. Pires of this city were united in marriage at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening. The ceremony being used. Only the immediate relatives were present. The bride is the daughter of Albert DeFretas of this city and is a young woman greatly admired by her many friends. The groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gaddis, is engaged in farming and is highly respected in the community in which he lives. The couple expected to leave yesterday for a brief wedding trip and upon their return will reside on a farm east of Concord.

Frister-Dickerson.
Horace Lee Frister of Mt. Sterling and Mrs. Sarah Ellen Dickson of Bowen, were united in marriage at 5 o'clock Thursday morning by the Rev. F. B. Madden at his home on West Jackson street. The couple came to Jacksonville on the morning Wabash train and left immediately after the ceremony for St. Louis for a wedding trip. They will make their home in Mt. Sterling.

Ashbaker-Emerick.

Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the Church of Our Savior occurred the wedding of Clarence Ashbaker to Miss Lora Emerick. Rev. Father Cahill said the Mass and joined the couple in wedded life. Miss Margaret Ring rendered most beautifully the wedding march. The bridesmaid was Miss Etta Hennessey and the best man was Mr. John Roach.

The servers at Mass were Master William Wagner, a cousin of the groom and Master Charles Ashbaker, the groom's brother. The bride was gowned in a beautiful white crepe-de-chene with tulle veil and carried bride's roses. Miss Hennessey wore blue crepe-de-chene and carried pink roses.

After the ceremony the couple, their attendants, the servers and the immediate relatives accompanied by Rev. Father Cahill were taken to the Pacific hotel where a wedding breakfast was served and hearty congratulations extended.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashbaker left in the evening over the C. & A. for a short wedding trip north.

EXEMPTION BOARD NEWS

The induction papers of John C. Clark, who is to go with Morgan county contingent to Camp Custer, have been transferred from local board No. 1, in Chicago.

The papers of Ray Sevier were transferred from Appanoose, Ia., to the local board, and he will leave with the contingent for Camp Forrest today.

Ernest Colbert has been named as chief orderly for the Camp Custer group, and his first assistant is P. D. Towne. The men going to Camp Custer today will be in charge of Arthur Kitchen as chief orderly, with Samuel Henry as assistant.

LEGISLATIVE VOTERS LEAGUE RECOMMENDATIONS.

The Legislative Voters' League of this state has made an investigation as to the qualifications of the 567 legislative candidates. These opinions have been published in pamphlet form, according to custom. The findings as to candidates in this, the 45th district, are summarized by the league as follows:

Forty-fifth district—Senate—Democratic:
Arthur L. Hereford, Springfield.

Mr. Hereford is business manager of a fraternal order and bears an excellent reputation. He was formerly engraving clerk of the house.

Senate—Republican:
John A. Wheeler, Springfield. Mr. Wheeler has served with credit as sheriff of Sangamon county. He is able and well qualified.

House—Democratic (two):
Henry J. Rodgers, Jacksonville. Clarence Jones, Springfield. Mr. Rodgers is a banker who is now serving as mayor of Jacksonville. He is well known and able. Mr. Jones is a lawyer who is ending his first term, during which he made a fair record. He is able and industrious.

House—Republican (two):
Jacob Frisch, Springfield. Fred W. Wanless, Riverton. Mr. Frisch is a druggist and is finishing his first term. He is capable and industrious and made a fair record. Mr. Wanless is in the real estate business. He has a good reputation and is said to have ability.

HORSE SHOW POSTPONED.

Because of unfavorable road conditions the Chapin horse show which was scheduled for yesterday was indefinitely postponed.

MISS WARD TO WED.

Miss Dorothy Ward, last year a teacher in the Jacksonville high school, is soon to wed Lieut. M. R. Boswell. Miss Ward had expected to teach in the Galesburg schools this year but now the date of her marriage has been fixed for October.

WILL TEACH IN VANCOUVER.

Miss Bessie Sorrells left yesterday for Vancouver, Washington, where she will be instructor in the State School for the Blind the coming year. She went by way of Kansas City and expects to have a brief visit with her brother, Sergeant Basil Sorrells, who is at the Rahe Auto school.

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MURPHY'S STALLION

TAKES FEATURE EVENT
HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 5.—Chilcoat, Canadian chestnut stallion driven by Tommy Murphy, took first money in the Charter Oak \$10,000 purse for 2:12 trotters on the third day of the Grand Circuit meeting here today. He won the first two heats by light margins over Alma Forbes, Holyrood Kate, the roan mare from the Dodge Kentucky farm beat Alma Forbes in a close third heat and took second money for the races.

Results
2:07 Trot. Three heats. Purse \$1,000:
Brescia (Rodney) won; Kelly, DeForest, second; Gentry C. third. Best time—2:07 1/2.

Charter Oak. Purse \$10,000:
Chilcoat (Murphy) won; Holyrood Kate, second; Alma Forbes, third. Best time—2:06 1/2.

2:09 Trot. Purse \$1,000:
Lord Stout (Stout) won; Jeanette Speed, second; Selah Baird, third. Best time—2:10 1/4.

AIRMAN INJURED.

Lieut. Frank H. Richardson, who was injured in an air flight at an aviation field near San Antonio, Texas, is a nephew of Mrs. W. J. Winchester, of East College avenue. The extent of the aviator's injuries is not yet determined.

INCREASE PASTOR'S SALARY.

At the recent quarterly conference held at Grace M. E. church, it was by unanimous vote decided to increase the salary of the pastor \$400. This will bring the figure to \$2,400. The conference by vote expressed its appreciation for the excellent record that Dr. F. B. Madden has made as pastor, not only during the year just closed, but also in the previous years of his pastorate.

Mrs. James R. Matthews, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Barr Brown, Jr., expects to return to Chicago today to spend the winter with her son, Newton, Matthews, and family. Mrs. James O. Vosseler and son, James, have returned from a vacation visit in North Carolina. Aurelius Vosseler, who has been at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Russell, at Leland, Mich., has also returned.

Miss Inez Cummings, who some months ago served on the staff of the Courter and has since been with the Illinois State Register, is a member of the faculty at the State School for the Blind this year. Miss Cummings will teach eighth grade classes.

TRIBUTE PAID TO AMERICANS

PARIS, Sept. 5.—La Liberte under the heading "a heroic charge" pays tribute to the Americans. It says:

"The taking of Terno-Sorny by the Americans was a particularly brilliant operation executed by our Allies with wonderful dash. The unit which made this stroke had never been under fire, having passed only a few weeks in comparatively calm sector, but on its debut it hurled itself against a division of imperial guards and beat it.

"These sturdy youths from Texas habituated to prairie life, tracked the Boche like wild beasts; they swept villages and nests of machine gunners and charged with bayonets at batteries of 105s, killing those serving the battery and capturing the guns.

"Twice an officer of the French general staff had to interfere to modify their ardor, fearing that they might overstep their mark. Even the French Zouaves, who are an embodiment of our aggressive fighting, were astonished at such derring-do."

REWARD FOR FIRST AMERICAN PRISONER

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN LORRAINE, Sept. 5.—(By the Associated Press)—Orders captured by American troops in the Toul sector and signed by the commander of a German division offer a reward of 400 marks in the German soldier bringing in a first American prisoner. The German commander is apparently unusually anxious, for in another order he threatens to send an entire regiment out on patrol if it continues to fail to produce any American prisoners.

The distinction of piloting a minimum wage bill thru the British Columbia legislature fell to the lot of Mrs. Ralph Smith, the only woman member of that body.

OVERSEAS

CASUALTIES
(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—Casualties reported by General Pershing today were divided as follows:

Killed in action 75
Missing in action 196
Wounded severely 105
Died of disease 7
Wounded, degree undetermined 154
Died of wounds 20
Died of accident and other causes 8

Total 565

Illinoisans included in the list are as follows:

Killed in Action
Stewart Reynolds, Chicago.
Curtis Thackston, Harrisburg.
William E. Zierke, Elgin.
Andrew Burwan, Melrose Park.
Lieut. Harry E. Hackett, Chicago.

Died of Wounds

Lyman J. Allison, Chicago.
Pasquale Carravetta, Chicago.
Howard W. Jauch, Oak Park.

Wounded Severely
Joseph Jablonski, Sheller.
Charles A. Kurtz, Columbia.
Marion Zwirch, Chicago.
William Joseph Siskarski, Chicago.

Daniel Flynn, Chicago.
Rolla McCrea, Cambria.
Frank Veessy, Chicago.
John Hoff, Chicago.
Joseph Homa, Chicago.
Frank Juske, Chicago.

An ever increasing number of women are being employed as bond salesmen by banking and brokerage houses in New York City.

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MISSIONARY WRITES FROM FOOCHOW CHINA

Rev. L. J. Christian, Missionary
for Congregational Church
Writes an Interesting Letter.

For some years the Congregational church of this city has maintained a missionary pastor also and keeps up a correspondence with him. The following letter has just been received:

Foochow, China,
May 24th, 1918.

Dear Friends:—
We received with much rejoicing the news of the acceptance of the pastorate of "our" church by the Rev. W. E. Collins, and read with deep interest his life work as printed in the Journal. We would like to extend the hand of fellowship and welcome across the sea to both Mr. and Mrs. Collins. We know from our own Jacksonville, and from the whole hearted way in which we have received the support and prayers of the church, that you will have about you a band of devoted and enthusiastic workers that will make your work a pleasure. We wish to thank those who have written in these last mails for the letter you have sent, and will try to drop you a line in the near future.

In Miss Fairbanks' letter we found enclosed a full account of the annual meeting of the church, and want to congratulate you all on your splendid showing you have made for the year. May God bless the new year upon which you have already started and may He pour out His love and Holy Spirit upon you, is our prayer.

A Disastrous Flood.
I hope you folks are more fortunate in your selection of weather than we have been. The first six months that we were back there was practically no rain. Since then we have been having heavy showers, and one or two down-pours. These, coming close together, have resulted in our annual flood. Some of the homes around the city are under water, and a number of the newly paved roads are entirely submerged and lost to traffic for the present. Last evening our city messenger brought back word from the river front that the waters just above the city had, in their rampage, caught a long log raft in their grip, rushed it toward the Bridge of Ten Thousand Ages smashing a number of boats that lay in its path, and killing some of the boat people. The flood then took the raft and its accumulated wreckage, and hurled them against the

stone piers on which the bridge is built, wrecking part of the bridge. Once a year these poor people must allow themselves to be submerged, simply because they lack men of ingenuity and character to carry thru some scheme whereby this annual catastrophe might be avoided. Building dikes, and planting trees are what is needed. We have hope that one of these days some of their engineers returning from study abroad will find a way and can succeed in persuading the people to back him up.

We are much interested in the present situation in China. The country is in turmoil—two parties fighting for supremacy, the south against the North. Both parties have large armies in the field and are continually engaging in battle. Millions are being slaughtered and used by the contending parties, and laying upon generations yet unborn a burden that will be very hard for them to bear. While the nation is spending its strength and energies in fighting against itself, the enemies of the increase everywhere. Thieves of all kinds are multiplying, brigandage holds entire provinces in its sway, and in many parts of the country one travels at the risk of his life.

Brigands Hold-Up Train.
One of the holdest hold-ups in recent years happened in one of the Western provinces a few weeks back. A band of brigands, layed a fast train, held-up and robbed everybody on the train. Three persons were killed, and many wounded. The robbers on leaving the train took with them a number of women, whom they are holding as hostages to be ransomed later. Several foreigners on the train were made to contribute their watches. Some of the robbers on finding out that one of the foreigners was a missionary tried to get his watch back for him, but had to hasten away before finding it. As a result of this hold-up traffic on the interior lines is demoralized. Companies are unwilling to run trains unless guarded by at least two hundred soldiers. The worst part of such an arrangement is that the soldiers are easily bought over. These brigand bands have in some cases seven thousand followers. They go about in an army.

One of our friends in Canton Province has just passed thru a very hard experience. Sea pirates surrounded the town in which he has his hospital (he being a doctor) and were for a time held off by the soldiers. Dr. Evers, during the fighting, received into his hospital all the wounded soldiers and civilians. After the town fell into the hands of the pirates, who thereupon entered the hospital, and murdered every patient in it.

American Engineer Is Free
Some of you have no doubt read in the papers of the capture

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of Mr. Kyle, an American Engineer, by the Hunan bandits. He, with a party of other engineers and workmen, were relieved of twelve thousand dollars, their watches, instruments, and valuables, and then held as hostages. Everything was done to secure their release. General Chang was not on the trail of the bandits, and seeing they were about to be captured, they sent in word that they would release Mr. Kyle provided they were not punished or his capture, but rather rewarded for freeing him—the reward being their commission in the army as engineers. Their demands were complied with and Mr. Kyle is now free.

Mr. Peet, with whom I lived when I first arrived in China eight years ago, has just returned from an up-river trip and reports a very serious condition of affairs. His launch was steaming up a branch of the Yangtze River, but was stopped by one of the officials who advised him not to proceed farther, as the country was overrun with thieves. Whole villages have been burned to the ground, and the inhabitants carried away to strong holds in the mountains where they are being held for ransom.

China is also facing danger from without. The Russians are now threatening them from the North. Large quantities of munitions have been transported into Siberia, and if the Russians should make a move to free all the Austro-German prisoners in Siberia, they might change the map in the East, as they are changing it thruout Europe. And yet, in the midst of all this unrest and turmoil, as one of China's greatest statesmen said three weeks ago at the Conference of the China Continuation Committee, held in Shanghai, "God is still upon His throne." He is leading these people, even as we cannot now see His Hand in it all; and we can trust the future with Him.

We had an interesting time this spring raising silkworms. We started in with about three hundred, but this number was later increased to nearly a thousand by a gift from one of our neighbors who found it hard to secure mulberry leaves for so large a number of hungry mouths. Boys from the school secured the leaves for us, and our home caretaker fed and tended the worms thru the six weeks of existence prior to their spinning. It was fascinating to see them grow and develop. They eat day and night for six days, after which they rest for a day, thus fulfilling the law of Moses. During this day of rest they shed their skin, which comes off like a kid glove. Four or five times they "skin" themselves, each time with new energy and an enlarged appetite. After six weeks of eating and sleeping they are ready to spin. As they are ready to begin spinning their bodies become transparent and no longer care for food. In the silkworm industries, special bamboo racks are made for them to spin their cocoons on, but as we have no use for the cocoons we set the worms at spinning silk mats. This is done by pasting thick paper over glass bowls, large round dishes, or any other shape that you may wish, the silk worms on in. We set the three hundred old worms making a centerpiece twenty inches in diameter; and in order to see that they did their work properly our faithful sewing woman watched them day and night. The result is a beautiful silk center piece, representing the life work of over three hundred worms. We also had them make a dozen dollies seven inches in diameter to match the center piece. The remaining worms wove many smaller pieces. Some of which I am enclosing for your curio cabinet. The average worm spins a thread between three hundred and a thousand yards long.

How Silk Is Produced.
The large silk industries, as I said before, allow the worms to spin cocoons, from which they unwind the silk. The method of procedure is something like this. As soon as the worm has finished spinning the cocoon, enclosing itself safely inside, it is taken and placed in a large bamboo basket under which a fire is started to kill the worm. If this were not done, within ten days the moth (for the worm is transformed into a moth) would eat its way thru the cocoon, thus cutting the strands of silk into lengths only a few inches long. The cocoons in the silk manufacture are then boiled, and girls are employed to wind the silk threads over small winding machines worked by foot power. The ends of the threads from six or more cocoons are gathered together and twisted into one strong thread. It is interesting to watch the unravelling cocoons dancing up and down in the hot water as they toll off their silk. This silk thread is finally twisted into skeins and sent to the mills where it is woven into beautiful silk fabrics.

The neighbor who brought in the silk worms was a little girl ten years old, who lives with her grandmother, the door-keeper of a near-by Buddhist temple. The little girl was hired out for a slave girl, but later returned to the temple, where she assisted in keeping the temple clean. When she gave us the silk worms, we made her a return present of some flowers and a few changes. Before she left we asked her if she wouldn't like to come over to the Christian school. She said she would, and later her grandmother likewise said she was willing to have her go. We asked if she was willing to have her little girl study the Bible and become a Christian, and to this she also gave her consent. So now this bright little tot is under our instruction, and is one of the happiest youngsters in the school.

Find Work Interesting.
Five more of the boys from the higher primary school joined the church ten days ago. Two of these lads were of the group that gave their heart to Christ in my study. We have still another class of learners, who are studying hard to enter the church. These

will probably not join till September or later, as we want to keep them on probation for a period before allowing them to enter the church. This school with its splendid student body of 160 boys is a joy to me, and the more I become acquainted with the boys the better I like them. A number of them are very earnest Christians. My wife and I work with her kindergarten kiddies, teachers training classes, and her work among the women of the neighborhood full of encouragement. Under separate cover we are sending you a printed pamphlet entitled "Loose Leaves from Missionary Diaries," which will give you a little touch of what is going on in other branches of the work.

We thank Our Heavenly Father that He has given us this work to do together and we never forget how large a part you have in it. Pray that He will use us in these momentous days just ahead. With love and best wishes to you all, believe me

Yours fraternally,
Leonard J. Christian.

FANCY ALBERTA PEACHES

We have a car of Fancy Alberta Peaches due to arrive here Monday or Tuesday, and will take orders now. WHILE THEY LAST \$3.50 BU. Phone your orders to nearest store. ECONOMY CASH STORES

DATE FIXED FOR RED CROSS PICNIC

Will Be Held September 18—Plan Made for Entertaining Large Crowd—Other Bluffs News.

Bluffs, Sept. 5.—The Red Cross picnic and sale will be held in town Wednesday, Sept. 18. The committee on arrangements are planning to make this the big event of the year. There will be booths where various articles will be placed on sale. A fine display of quilts and pieced comforts will be on exhibit any of which may be sold. The Junior Red Cross girls will place their ten comforts and one quilt on sale at this time. There will be plenty of amusements and lots of good things to eat. The Mehan theatre will be open to the public and also the Hartman garage. Bluffs is planning on a big time and is amply prepared to handle the crowd and solicits your patronage and co-operation to help swell the funds for Red Cross work.

Mrs. James Sawyers and son Gay left Thursday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Jane Evans of Moorville, Mo.

Coin Mueller and Raymond are contemplating taking a military course at the Lutheran college at Carthage.

George Geisendorfer of Brookfield, Mo., has arrived for a visit with his father, George Geisendorfer, Sr.

Mrs. A. E. Laurence and children have returned from Quincy where they have been attending an old settlers picnic near that city.

Mrs. S. M. Carver will hold the annual reception for the Household Science club members at her home, Tuesday afternoon, September 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bentz and family expect to move into town in a few days. They have been on a farm near Chapin for the past six months.

Charles Renode and family of Ashland have moved into town and are occupying the Mahlon Chapman property in the north part.

A number of makers of men's woolen underwear have notified their customers that no duplicate orders will be accepted for delivery this season. FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store is showing a limited assortment of men's Woolen Underwear.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Ayers National Bank

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RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$1,694,871.93
Overdrafts Secured and Unsecured	10,511.98
United States Bonds to Secure Circulation	200,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	7,500.00
Bonds, Stocks, Securities, etc.	1,128,428.41
Furniture and Fixtures	11,338.15
Cash	
Due from State Banks and Bankers	34,143.43
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	177,411.38
Cash and Due from National Banks	853,544.42
Checks and Other Cash Items	75,967.59
Redemption Fund from U. S. Treasurer	14,245.00
and due from U. S. Treasurer	1,155,333.82
Total	\$4,207,984.29
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock Paid in	\$200,000.00
Surplus Fund	50,000.00
Undivided Profits Less Expenses and Taxes Paid	160,224.51
National Bank Notes Outstanding	200,000.00
Deposits	
Due to Other National Banks	\$114,569.01
Due State Banks and Bankers	190,654.39
Dividends Unpaid	50.00
Individual Deposits Subject to Check	2,663,987.08
Time Certificates of Deposit	608,919.07
Postal Savings	4,365.68
United States Deposits	14,904.55
Total	\$3,977,759.78
Total	\$4,207,984.29

STATE OF ILLINOIS,

ss.

I, O. F. Buffe, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Sept., 1918.
E. I. Whitlock, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
M. F. Dunlap,
Andrew Russel, Directors.
H. M. Capps.

GREGORY FARM WINS STATE FAIR AWARDS

Made a Clean Sweep in Berkshire Hog Classes—Water Situation At Roadhouse Acute—Other Greene County News Notes of Interest.

White Hall, Sept. 5.—A compilation of awards in the animal section of the Illinois State Fair shows that Gregory Farm made a clean sweep in the Berkshire hog classes, winning senior champion boar, grand champion boar, senior champion sow, junior champion sow, grand champion sow, premier champion breeder, premier champion exhibitor. The other winnings are as follows: First on aged boar, first on boar 12 months and under 18 months, second and third on boar 6 months and under 12 months, fifth on boar under 6 months, first and third on aged sows, first, second, third and fourth on junior yearling sow, first, fifth and sixth on senior pig, fourth on sow under six months, first and second on aged herd, first on aged herd bred by exhibitor, second on young herd, second on young herd bred by exhibitor and first on get of boar.

Gregory Farm made no entries other than Berkshire hogs. The loss of the show herd of Percheron horses early in the year having put them out of the Percheron ring for this season.

Miss Emma Duncan is reorganizing her men's chorus for an engagement in connection with services in the First Baptist church next Sunday. The pastor, Rev. John A. Simpson, has returned from a vacation of several weeks.

Daily War News Bulletin.
Nevius and Davis, in addition to maintaining a war map in sand in their display window, have added a bulletin service that gives the daily news of the war, and this double service is a great attraction.

Since last Friday there has been a total rainfall of 4.48 inches recorded at the White Hall station of the weather bureau, and it has been sufficient to thoroughly moisten the ground and produce running water that has replenished supplies. Stock raisers had begun to haul water, and water trains were being run on the C. and A. The city supply at White Hall was not affected to any appreciable extent, and the local supply has attracted attention as the most bounteous in this section of the state. The situation at Roadhouse grows acute with every drought, and several methods are advocated to meet the needs of the railroad there. One of these is that of Trainmaster Burdette, who advocates piping to the old C. B. and A. reservoir, used by that road for a supply at White Hall until the Burlington made a contract for a supply from the city of White Hall. The old Burlington reservoir affords one of the best supplies in this section, being excelled only by the city supply at White Hall, and can be reached from Roadhouse with about two miles of piping. It has been pretty well drained by the lowering of the dam since the railroad abandoned it, but it can soon be restored. The C. and A. needs something to tide it over emergencies such as the one just experienced, and a way has been devised to meet these emergencies by erecting a tank at White Hall with a capacity of 55,000 gallons and connect it with the city mains. Material is now being assembled for this purpose.

Advices from Arlington, Kansas are that Mrs. F. A. Brooks has just undergone an operation at a hospital in Hutchinson, Kansas, and that her condition is unfavorable.
Ernest Pearce on Furlough.
Ernest Pearce, member of the 313th Engineers, has arrived at Galesburg on a furlough of ten days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Pearce, and he may get to White Hall before returning to Des Moines, Iowa. He was taken

sick at Camp Dodge on March 27 last, and a few weeks ago was transferred to Fort Des Moines as a convalescent. His regiment sailed for France some weeks ago, leaving him on the invalid list.

The death of Harrison Dickson in action in France interests a large number of White Hall people. The young soldier was a son of the late C. E. Dickson of Jacksonville, where the young man was reared and where he enlisted, being a member of the Illinois National Guard previous to the war and had charge of a squad of men who guarded the railroad bridge at Pearl when war was first declared.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dunphy left Tuesday for Los Angeles, Calif., to spend a month with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Willoughby, the latter being a sister of Mr. Dunphy.

Harry O'Neill has given up his large wire wheel at the plant of the White Hall Stoneware Co. and gone to Kansas City to take up other employment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dillman returned Monday from Chicago, to where they accompanied Miss Rita Arnold last week. The latter will make her home with Mrs. Emma Chapman and family, who recently moved to Chicago from White Hall.

Property Changes Owners.
Mrs. B. C. Lair and little daughter of Jacksonville, are guests of her mother, Mrs. Martha Campbell. Mr. Lair was down Sunday and Monday.

Alicia Langdon, of Manchester, has purchased the Johnston property south of the parsonage of the First Baptist church, and it will be occupied by his son-in-law, F. N. Langdon and family.

The term of public school opened Monday under the superintendency of R. C. Smith. The enrollment is short of last year, it being 600 against last year's opening figure of 632. This may be accounted for by rainy weather.

The September session of the city council was held Tuesday night, but only routine business was transacted. The mayor and park commissioners were instructed to speed up the work of acquiring property for the proposed extension of Whiteside Park.

ELM GROVE
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hart and daughter, Lida, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnhart, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Blumling and family attended the picnic at Greasy Prairie church Wednesday.

Miss Orpha Knapp has returned to St. Louis, after a brief visit Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hanson and daughter, Day.

Misses Bertha and Mary Welsh were calling on Day Ranson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnhart spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Barnhart, in Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Angelo, Wilmer and Eleanor Lear spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Angelo.

Mrs. Charley Sutton spent Saturday night with Mrs. J. T. Ranson.

Miss Fern Potter has returned home after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. F. W. Ranson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Scholfield and daughter, Mildred, were shopping in Winchester Saturday.

Mrs. J. T. Ranson spent Sunday with her brother, Charley Sutton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley German, John Myers and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Barry and son, Clarence, spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scholfield visited Woodson Monday afternoon.

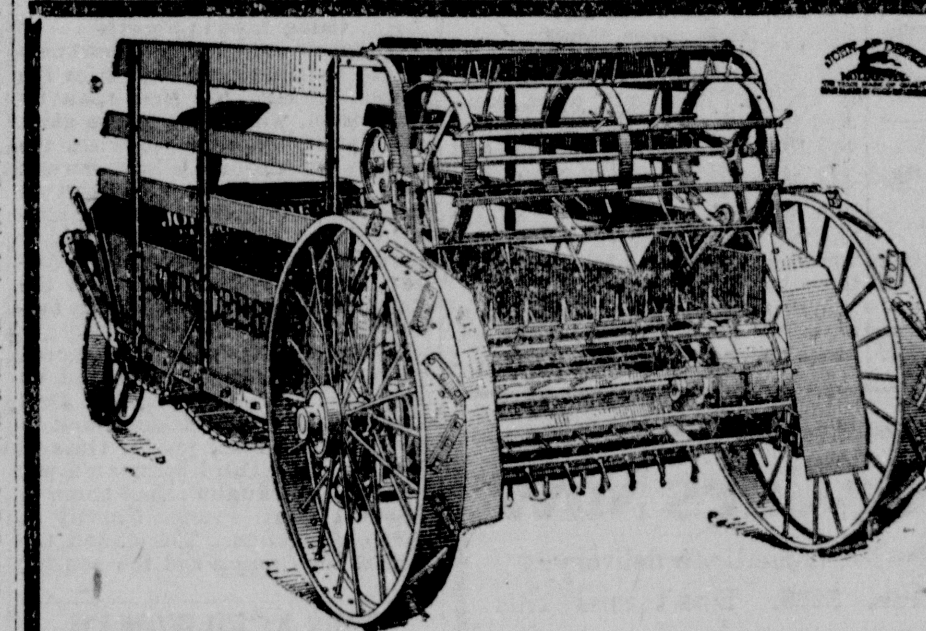
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lawless were Sunday afternoon visitors at William Stringers.

William Flynn was a business visitor in Woodson Monday afternoon.

The school at Elm Grove started Monday, with Miss Theima Dunniway as teacher.

James Cosgriff and daughter, Mabel, called on Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Ragan Sunday afternoon.

Verne Smith had a trip from Chapin to the city yesterday.



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BOSTON TAKES FIRST WORLD'S SERIES GAME

CONTEST PITCHERS' BATTLE BETWEEN RUTH AND VAUGHN

Only Small Crowd Turns Out To Game—Both Teams Play Errorless Ball—No Cheering or Umpire Baiting Noticed.

Chicago, Sept. 5.—One of the smallest crowds which ever turned out for a world's series opening saw the Boston Red Sox of the American League defeat the Cubs of the National League, 1 to 0 today.

The battle was between "Hippo" Vaughn of the Cubs and "Babe" Ruth.

These two giants fought it out all the way and altho Ruth allowed six hits to his opponent's five in an errorless game, the "break" went to the invaders.

The effect of the war was everywhere apparent, especially in the temper of the crowd which, largely local, saw the home team drop the first game without a protest. There was no cheering nor anything like usual umpire baiting.

Umpire "Hank" O'Day of the National League, was seen munching a bag of peanuts after the game.

"We were not roasted once during the game by players or spectators," said he. Then he added slowly:

"Neither are these peanuts. I paid ten cents for them, including war tax, if there was one."

Attendance Small

Today's attendance was precisely 19,274. No seats were occupied in the upper tier of the second floor of the grandstand, and the right section of the stand was practically empty. In the left section there were many vacant chairs. A number of boxes also were empty and the bleachers, the three lower rows were vacant.

War taxes, high cost of living, curtailed railroad service at advance prices, weather, curtailed

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season and the shadow of the war were said to account for the indifference of the public. The dyed-in-the-wool fans were there but not the general public.

The left field bleacher space usually given over to the virtues of a certain chewing gum admonished the crowd to "keep the glow in Old Glory" and the right field space commanded "Buy War Savings Stamps and Do It Now."

At intervals six airplanes from the war exposition on the lake front reminded the spectators that baseball is not an essential industry. Even the brass band was cut down to a war basis of twelve pieces and it attracted most attention when it played The Star Spangled Banner. On this occasion players and audience stood respectfully. Fred Thomas among them.

In the third inning, third baseman for Boston was in the Red Sox uniform by grace of a fourteen days' furlough from the Great Lakes Naval Training Station. He stood at the rigid salute of the Jackies while the hymn was played.

The one handed spear by Scott of Vaughn's hot grounder provided the one spectacular feature of the contest. It was a capital play but at the time the Cubs were not threatening. The whole nine innings failed to produce a hit for extra-bases nor any real test of speed for the outfielders. George Whitman, Boston utility outfielder starred in the outfield for Boston and doubtless prevented the Cubs from scoring. He was also the only man of the invaders to make two hits, one of which figured in Boston's lone but victorious tally.

Game Lost in Fourth

Vaughn's momentary weakness in the fourth inning cost him the game. Shean, the first man up for Boston, walked when the giant cub hurler attempted to work the corners on Empire O'Day. Strunk who followed fled to Vaughn on an attempted sacrifice and Whitman delivered his second blow sending Shean to second. Paskert's quick return prevented the Red Sox second baseman from taking third.

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also. Boston never threatened again.

Ruth's pitching was the chief factor in the Cub defeat altho the superb support rendered by his teammates assisted in repulsing the Cub attack. Had the Nationals been able to bunch their blows on the Boston pitcher the game would have been over in the first, when Mann singled after two were out and took third on Paskert's single to left field. Merkle was passed, filling the bases. With the game depending on his next offering Ruth served up a low fast ball to Pick at the same time waving his outfielders back toward the bleachers and the Cub second baseman dropped a high fly into Whitman's hands, closing the inning. Whitman captured the ball after a hard run and earned laurels thereby. To have missed it would have meant two runs for the locals.

Whitman Saves Day

Whitman stepped in between the Cubs and victory again in the sixth. With one out Paskert singled to center, taking third when Merkle bounced a grounder over Ruth's head and into center field. The ground ball was caught unassisted and Stuffy's quick throw from first held the Cub outfielder at third.

A moment later Whitman again stepped into the fore and raced across the field after Deal's long fly to left. He captured it after a hard run and the game was saved. For the Cubs never threatened again.

After the sixth Ruth pitched airtight ball and despite Manager Mitchell's strategies the Cubs never had a look in. They went out in order save in the final inning, when after one was out Mitchell sent his reserves into the front line. Merkle had sent a long fly to Whitman when Mitchell sent Deal in to bat for Pick. The Cub reserve catcher fled out indignantly to Thomas. Deal caused a momentary revival of interest with a single over third and McCabe was sent in to run for him. Killifer put an end to the pastime by sending a long fly to right which Hooper captured after a hard run. The score:

Boston AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Hooper, rf. . . . 4 0 1 2 0 0
Shean, 2b. . . . 2 1 1 0 3 0
Strunk, cf. . . . 3 0 0 2 0 0
Whitman, lf. . . . 4 0 2 5 0 0
McInnis, lb. . . . 2 0 1 10 0 0
Scott, ss. . . . 4 0 0 0 3 0
Thomas, 3b. . . . 3 0 0 1 1 0
Agnew, c. . . . 3 0 0 5 0 0
Ruth, p. . . . 3 0 0 0 1 0

Totals . . . 28 1 5 27 8 0

Chicago AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Flack, rf. . . . 3 0 1 2 0 0
Hollocher, ss. . . . 3 0 0 2 1 0
Mann, lf. . . . 4 0 1 0 0 0
Paskert, cf. . . . 4 0 2 2 0 0
Merkle, lb. . . . 3 0 1 9 2 0
Pick, 2b. . . . 3 0 0 1 1 0
Deal, 3b. . . . 4 0 1 1 2 0
Killifer, c. . . . 4 0 0 7 2 0
Vaughn, p. . . . 3 0 0 2 5 0
O'Farrell, z. . . . 1 0 0 0 0 0
McCabe, zz. . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0

Totals . . . 32 0 6 27 14 0

z—Batted for Pick in 9th.
zz—Ran for Deal in 9th.

Score by innings:
Boston 000 100 000—1
Chicago 000 000 000—0

Summary

Sacrifice hits—McInnis, Hollocher, Strunk. Left on bases—Americans, 5; Nationals, 8. Bases on balls—Off Ruth, 1; Vaughn, 3. Hit by pitcher—By Ruth, 1 (Flack). Struck out—By Ruth, 4; Vaughn, 6. Time—1:50.

War Hurts Attendance

Chicago, Sept. 5.—War made its hand felt in the attendance and receipts of the first game of the world's series. The attendance today of 19,274 was nearly 13,000 less than the crowd which jammed Comiskey Park for the initial contest between the Giants and White Sox a year ago. The receipts—\$30,348—were less than half the amount taken in for the first game a year ago, as the prices this year were reduced, the choice box seats selling for \$3 as compared with \$5 in 1917.

The figures on the opening game of today and a year ago are:

Attendance 19,274
Receipts \$30,348.00
Players' share 16,337.92
Each club's share 5,462.64
National commission 3,034.30

Attendance 32,000
Receipts \$73,152.00
Each club's share 13,167.36
Players' share 39,502.05
National commission 7,315.20

MADE ICE CREAM WITHOUT MILK

Made in London and Is All the Rage—Idea Is Conceived By An American.

London, Sept. 4.—Ice cream made without milk, cream or sugar, to comply with government regulations, has been all the rage this summer at the soda fountains of London. The recipe was conceived by an American, Charles H. Boeglin, of New York City, soon after the British government prohibited early this year the use of milk products or sugar in the manufacture of ice cream.

Here's the way the mock ice cream is made: For a gallon of the ice, two pounds of glucose or four pounds of honey. Honey is used, it should be boiled down in a quart of water, and before being poured into the freezer should be allowed to cool for three or four minutes. Then add the white of one egg and any flavor desired, and freeze. Fresh fruit adds considerably to the flavor of the ice, which really tastes like ice cream.

In London, where even in summer, eggs have been worth about ten cents each, the ice manufacturers use the powdered egg albumen instead of eggs.

The shortage of man power has led several Japanese cities and towns to enlist women in their fire departments.

The Chamber of Commerce of Durham is the first body of its kind in North Carolina to open its membership to women.

JAPAN FACES INTERNAL POLITICAL CRISIS

Brought About By United States Suggestion for Joint Military Expedition to Vladivostok to Help Czechoslovaks—Military Party in Favor of Intervention.

Tokio, Sept. 4.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—The United States' suggestion to Japan for a joint military expedition to Vladivostok to help the Czechoslovaks, precipitated an internal political crisis in Japan.

The question of intervention in Siberia had been an issue here so long that it had become a delicate question for the Japanese, and one, also, on which the country was more or less divided.

For many months the entente nations had been urging Japan to intervene or to join with them in urging the United States to adhere to a plan of intervention.

On the other hand, leading Japanese statesmen counseled a steady fast policy of co-operation with the United States on all matters pertaining to Russia. In a military sense, Japan got ready, and needed but a word from her allies including the United States, to send an army into Siberia.

Then, suddenly, the United States announced her intention of despatching troops to Vladivostok, not in the sense of intervention, but to help the Czechoslovaks, and simultaneously suggested that Japan send a number of troops.

Many people in Japan felt that if military action came in Siberia Japan would receive the mandate of the powers to act for them, and that Japanese troops would chiefly make up the expedition; other nations merely sending contingents to give the movement an inter-allied tone. The American initiative, therefore, took Japan by surprise.

"The idea of Japan being placed on a par with an accidental power in an expedition intended for a spot lying, as it were, at our very door, was certainly not pleasant to the Japanese who believe that of all powers of the world, Japan is most vitally interested in the fate of Eastern Siberia."

Such was the first impression created by the American note, but further reflection is believed to have convinced the Japanese that the United States' initiative was in no sense a reflection on Japan.

The joint expedition was therefore accepted in principle, but a great controversy was raised over the question whether Japan herself should not intervene in Siberia for the protection of her national interests.

In Favor of Intervention

The military party is believed to have been distinctly in favor of intervention, this plan having the support of the general staff of the army of Marshal Prince Yamagata and, to some extent, of the cabinet, which is presided over by the premier, Marshal Count Tsuruchi.

Lenthy discussions ensued between ministers of state, the members of the recently appointed

diplomatic advisory council and also the leaders of the political parties who were called in for consultation.

The rejection of general intervention at this time may be ascribed first, to the growing influence of the business interests who favor complete co-operation with the United States in Japan's own interest; second, to the opposition of the political parties, whose backing was necessary in obtaining necessary diet appropriation; and, third, to the decision of leaders generally that Japan should move slowly, and above all things, work hand in hand with the United States.

Linked with these considerations was the hesitancy of the political groups to support a military program which would insure indefinite life for the present cabinet. The Teruchi ministry is officially wedded to no party, and the political parties in Japan are striving for a constitutional regime of party cabinets, with a consequent increase of power of the house of representatives, as the body representing the voters. The defeat of the interventionists is regarded in some quarters, therefore, as a victory for constitutional progress, and incidentally, as a blow to the influence of the elder statesmen, longtime powerful, in deciding the destinies of the empire.

SUSPENDERS POPULAR AT PRISON CAMP

Memphis, Aug. — "Suspenders are popular here," writes Captain John W. Morris to his relatives in Memphis from a war prison camp at Rastatt, Baden. He explains by adding "I have contributed one third of my belt to the salvage dump and could spare more." Captain Morris was a medical officer of the Scottish "Black Watch" regiment and was taken prisoner at Kemmel Hill last March. The Germans had put him to work caring for the wounded prisoners of war.

New York, Aug. 30.—The number of Czechoslovak troops fighting Russia was recently given by the North German Gazette as 150,000.

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—Adv.

U. S. GENERAL HOSPITAL PLANNED FOR UTAH

Salt Lake City, Aug. 30.—A United States army general hospital is to be established at Fort Douglas, near here. It is the understanding of officers at the post that Fort Douglas is to be the inter-mountain reconstruction hospital, and that many of those wounded overseas will be cared for here.

New barracks sheds, constructed for infantry regiments stationed here during the past year and a half, are to be converted into vocational training shops, where maimed soldiers will be re-educated to become useful and productive citizens.

The new hospital, it is understood, will be a college where soldiers will be made over mentally as well as physically. Educational work will be practically unlimited in its scope and will include all branches of applied mechanics, trades and common labor.

Permit boats are also operating from the end of steel at Montana to Indian River, which flows into the Susitna 57 miles north of Montana.

GOVERNMENT REDUCES TIME OF TRAVEL

Anchorage, Alaska, Aug. 29.—Operation of the coast division of the government railroad has reduced the time of travel from seven days to nine hours for the journey between Anchorage and Teller, a distance of 113 miles.

Trains are operated over the railroad to Montana, 95 miles on the Susitna River, and between Montana and Teller, 18 miles up the river, power boats complete the trip. Before the advent of the government railroad seven days was considered fast time over the tortuous trails and by way of the river from Anchorage to Teller, which this year is the headquarters for railroad construction workers.

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modation, departs daily ex-
cept Sunday 3:15 p. m.
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daily 8:30 p. m.

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No. 12 9:45 p. m.
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No. 4, daily 8:30 a. m.
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No. 15 5:30 p. m.

INDIANAPOLIS
LIVESTOCK MARKET.
Indianaapolis, Sept. 5.—Hogs—
4,000; heavy, 19.75@20.05; light
20.35; bulk, 19.95@20.35;
pigs, 19.60.
Cattle—600; strong,
Sheep—300; steady.

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WANTED—To buy pop corn, Schumm
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WANTED—Girls at Grand Laundry.
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**WANTED—Janitor for apartment
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**WANTED—Men for general work
and special work in factory de-
partments.** Illinois Steel Bridge Co.
9-5-18

**WANTED—Girl for general house-
work.** Apply 134 Westminster.
8-30-18

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telephone work; good wages paid
while learning.** Call at The Illinois
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man for cooking; Good wages.** Ill.
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**WANTED—Man to repair bicycles and
motorcycles; also an automobile
mechanic; at Taylor's Garage, West
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**WANTED—Girl for general house-
work; 856 West State.** 8-31-18

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**FOR SALE—In good condition; new
tires.** Inquire James R. Black, Bell
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**FOR SALE—Maxwell runabout; good
condition; cheap to sell.** Call 4-2,
cheap to sell. Bell 4-2, 11th Street.
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**FOR SALE—Ford car, A No. 1 me-
chanical condition.** Apply 787 East
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FOR SALE—Wheat drill. F. J. Quinn,
Ill. phone 623. 8-2-18

**FOR SALE—100-acre farm, 6-12 miles
southwest of Jacksonville, setting
estate of Wm. Whalen. Inquire at
farm.** 8-2-18

**PUBLIC SALE—Fifty big type Po-
land Chinas, one mile south of Con-
cord, Indiana, Sept. 10, 1918. In-
quire Way and Fairbank.** 9-6-18

**FOR SALE—Kitchen—Used book-
case, chest, cabinet, chairs, high
chair, bed, gas stove; also for rent,
square house, East College ave.,
Ill. phone 1230. 9-6-18**

**FOR SALE—One ton Ford truck, 1918
model, used three months.** Phones
Ill. 1278; Bell phone 73. 9-6-18

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paint. Prices to sell. Both phones
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ling ewes. Address C. M. Hays,
Pearl Hill. 8-25-18**

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ance grain; Woven wire fence,
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tages by the lake; bathing, bath-
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR SHERIFF.
I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for sheriff on the Democratic
ticket, subject to the decision of the
primary election to be held Wednesday,
September 11, 1918.
W. H. Weatherford. 8-27-18

**I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Republican nomination
for sheriff, subject to the primary
election.** George L. Stice

**I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Republican nomination
for sheriff, subject to the primary
election.** Henry G. Strawn.

**I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Republican nomination
for sheriff, subject to the primary
election.** V. R. Riley.

**I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Republican nomination
for sheriff, subject to the primary
election.** Geo. N. Woods.

**I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Republican nomination
for sheriff, subject to the primary
election.** William A. Masters.

**FOR ASSESSOR AND TREAS-
URER.**
I hereby announce myself for the
office of assessor and treasurer, sub-
ject to the decision of the primary
election of Morgan county at the primary
election, Sept. 11, 1918. Grant Grant

**I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Democratic nomination
for assessor and treasurer, subject to
the decision of voters at the primary
election.** Charles E. Black.

**I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Democratic nomination
for assessor and treasurer, subject to
the primary election September 11,
1918.** A. D. Arnold.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.
I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the office of county clerk
for the Democratic nomination, sub-
ject to the decision of the primary
election, September 11, 1918.
Charles H. James.

**I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Democratic nomination
for county clerk, subject to the pri-
mary election, Sept. 11, 1918.** C. A. Boruff.

COUNTY CLERK.
I hereby announce myself as can-
didate for the office of county clerk,
subject to the Democratic primary,
Wednesday, September 11, 1918.
Charles E. Seymour.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.
I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Republican nomination
for county judge, subject to the pri-
mary election.

**I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Republican nomination
for county judge, subject to the pri-
mary election.** W. L. Armistead.

FOR CONGRESSMAN.
I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Democratic nomination
for congressman from this district,
subject to the decision at the pri-
mary election, September 11, 1918.
Henry J. Rainey

FOR GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Republican nomination
for state representative from this
district, subject to the decision of
the voters at the primary election,
September 11, 1918.
Fred W. Wanless.

**I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Democratic nomination
for state representative from this
district, including Sangamon and
Morgan counties.** W. C. Shaffer.

REPRESENTATIVE.
I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Democratic nomination
for state representative from this
district, including Sangamon and
Morgan counties.

**I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Democratic nomination
for state representative from this
district, including Sangamon and
Morgan counties.** Henry J. Rodgers.

FALLING OFF OF CORN CONSIGNMENTS

CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—Falling off
of notices of country corn con-
signments more than counter-
balanced in the market today fall-
ure of frost predictions. The
close was 1/2c to 3/4c higher with
Sept. 1.55% and October 1.57%
to 1.57%. Oats closed unchanged
to 3/4c lower and provisions un-
changed to a decline of 7/8c.

The fact that the southwest was
drawing corn supplies from Iowa
presumably for feeding did a good
deal to bring about an upward
slant in late values, despite the
outlook for warmer weather.

Hedging sales by elevator in-
terests acted as a drag on oats.
Declines in oats weakened pork
and ribs. Lard was sustained by
cash demand.

(Furnished by Jas. Bennett Co.)
Open High Low Close.
Corn—
Sept. 1.55% 1.56% 1.55 1.55%
Oct. 1.56% 1.58% 1.56% 1.57%
Oats—
Sept. .71% .71% .70% .70%
Oct. .72% .73 .72% .72%

Pork—
Sept. 42.45 42.50 42.40 42.50
Oct. 43.30 43.30 42.70 42.70
Lard—
Sept. 27.00 27.00 26.92 27.00
Oct. 26.75 26.82 26.72 26.82

Ribs—
Sept. 24.35 24.35 24.20 24.20
Oct. 24.40 24.45 24.40 24.47

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.
Chicago, Sept. 5.—Wheat—No. 1
red, \$2.26 3/4; No. 2 red, \$2.23
3/4; No. 3 red, \$2.19 3/4; No. 1
hard, \$2.26 3/4; No. 2 hard, \$2.23
3/4; No. 3 hard, \$2.19 3/4; No. 4
hard, \$2.05; sample grade hard,
\$1.75@1.85; No. 1 new standard,
\$2.26@2.27; No. 2 new standard,
\$2.23; No. 3 new standard, \$2.13;
No. 4 new standard, \$2.08@2.10;
No. 5 new standard, \$2.06.

Corn—No. 5 mixed, \$1.50; No. 6
mixed, \$1.40@1.45; No. 2 yellow,
\$1.48; No. 3 yellow, \$1.40@1.45;
No. 4 yellow, \$1.35@1.40; No. 5
yellow, \$1.30@1.35; No. 6
yellow, \$1.25@1.30; No. 2 white,
\$1.75; No. 3 white, \$1.53@1.60;
No. 5 white, \$1.45@1.52; sample
grade, \$1.10@1.42.

Oats—No. 2 mixed, 66c; No. 3
white, 70c; No. 4 white, 68c;
standard 70c@71c; sample grade
60@61c.
Timothy—Cash, \$6.00@9.00.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET.
Chicago, Sept. 5.—(U. S. Bu-
reau of Markets—Hogs—Re-
ceipts 21,000. Market fully 25c
lower than yesterday's average.
One load \$20.10 late. Butchers,
\$19.00@19.85; light, \$19.25@
\$20.10; packing, \$18.25@19.00;
rough, \$17.50@18.00; pigs, good
and choice, \$18.25@18.65.

Cattle—Receipts 15,000. Na-
tive and western steers with
weight 10c to 25c higher. Cows
and heifers steady. Calves strong.
Beef cattle, good, choice and
prime, 16.35@19.10; common
and medium, \$10.50@16.85; but-
cher stock, cows and heifers,
\$7.65@14.25; canners and cut-
ters, \$6.65@7.65; stockers and
feeders, good, choice and fancy,
\$11.00@14.00; inferior, common
and medium, \$8.00@11.00; veal
alives, good and choice, \$18.00@
\$18.75.

Sheep—Receipts 24,000. Fat
classes steady to 15c lower. Feed-
ers steady. Lambs, choice and
prime, \$17.25@18.00; medium
and good, \$16.00@17.25; culls,
\$12.10@13.50; ewes, choice and
good, \$11.50@12.00; medium
and good, \$10.25@11.50; culls,
\$4.00@8.00.

PEORIA GRAIN MARKET.
Peoria, Ill., Sept. 5.—Corn—
Unchanged @ 3/4c up; No. 3 yellow,
\$1.60; No. 5 yellow, \$1.45; No. 6
yellow, \$1.40@1.42; sample,
\$.97@1.35.
Oats—3c lower; No. 2 white,
70c.

NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET.
New York, Sept. 5.—Corn—
Spot steady; fresh shelled No. 2
yellow, \$1.82 and No. 3 yellow,
\$1.77 cost and freight New
York.
Oats—Spot quiet; standard,
\$1.9c.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.
Minneapolis, Sept. 5.—Wheat
—551 cars. Cash: No. 1 North-
ern old, \$2.22.
Corn—No. 3 yellow, \$1.60@
1.63.
Oats—No. 3 white, 67 1/2@68 1/2.
Flax—\$4.07@4.17.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK MARKET.
Omaha, Sept. 5.—Hogs—Re-
ceipts 6500; lower; heavy, \$18.75
@19.15; mixed, \$18.90@19.00;
light, \$19.00@19.35; pigs, \$16.50
@18.00; bulk, \$18.90@19.00.
Cattle—5800; steady; steers,
\$18.00@18.00; cows and heifers,
\$7.00@11.50; calves, \$9.00@
13.00.

Sheep—Receipts 25000; steady;
\$9.45@11.45; lambs \$16.25@
17.25; yearlings \$12.00@14.00.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK MARKET.
Kansas City, Sept. 5.—Hogs—
7,000; strong; bulk, \$19.00@
20.10; heavy, \$19.50@20.25;
packers, \$19.25@20.25; light,
\$18.75@20.00.
Cattle—7,000; steady; steers,
\$17.25@18.75; cows, \$6.40@
12.50; heifers, \$8.50@14.50;
calves, \$7.50@13.75.
Sheep—7,000; steady; lambs,
\$15.50@17.35; yearlings, \$10.50
@14.50; wethers, \$10.00@13.50;
ewes, \$8.50@12.25.

U. S. STEEL PIVOT ON STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—Re-
straining influence of local finan-
cial interests was again a potent
factor in today's stock market,
prices yielding 1 to 1 1/2 points on
pronounced curtailment of trad-
ing after a moderately active first
hour.

United States steel again the
pivot around which the market
revolved fluctuated between 115 1/2
and 1

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PUBLIC SCHOOLS WILL BEGIN WORK MONDAY

Arrangements Completed By Superintendent For the Opening—Roster of Super visitors, Teachers and Janitors.

All public schools in the city begin next Monday. All grade schools and the David Prince high school (grades 7 and 8) will assemble at 9 o'clock. High school students will assemble at 1:30 in the study hall of the David Prince building.

Pupils will be assigned to rooms and classes, given their book lists and dismissed for the day, so that they may have time to get their supplies and books. Parents will help greatly if they will see that their children have the right books—"Good tools are necessary to good work."

Dealers will be required to substitute certain tablets in place of the uniform tablet series ordinarily used in the schools. This is necessary because of the failure of the company to fill in full orders from dealers. Paper shortage is very great, but dealers feel that they will be able to supply similar tablets in case they have not enough of the regular line.

Enroll Opening Day. All pupils should enroll the opening day. It is important that rooms, classes and seats be properly assigned if the school is to make a good start and pupils are never more clearly shown that children should take the opportunity of attending school every day.

The first regular teachers' meeting will be held in the David Prince study hall at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. At 2:00 o'clock principals will meet in their building teachers at the general teachers' meeting the general plans for the school year will be stated, including the relationship of the school work to the present war condition. At the building teachers meeting matters of routine and building adjustments will be given attention.

The following is the list of supervisors and teachers as assigned by buildings:

General.
H. A. Perrin, Superintendent.
Lena M. Hopper, Supervisor of Music.
Harriet Seibert, Supervisor of Art.
Maude Ryman, School Nurse.
High School.
Herbert C. Hopkins, Principal.
Helen Carley.
Anna English.
Marguerite Keith.
Sophronia Kent.
Minnie Baker.
Lucile Fenton.
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Elizabeth Russell.
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Ella Newman.
Agnes Rogerson.
John Baird.
M. Bea Ellis.
Clarence A. Rush.
Clorah E. Corzine.
Emma Mae Leonard.
Marian Candace.
Bessie Sover.
David Prince.
Laura C. White, Principal.
Mabel Withee.
Frances Alkire.
Ethel Wylder.
Anne C. Long.
Bertha Mason.
Jennie F. Grassly.
Anna L. Stevenson.
Luella Blackburn.
M. Alice Gunn.
Marcia Sleezer.
Jefferson School.
Clara C. Cobb, Principal.
Louise Mansfield.
Josephine Yeck.
Helen B. Harney.
Marie Jaeger.

Nina Richards.
Marion Williamson.
Lucille Bentley.
Rose E. Lonergan.
Independence School.
Kathleen LaVelle.
Lafayette School.
Agnes M. Paxton, Principal.
Amy Pierce.
Elizabeth Hackman.
Mary Dole.
Lydia Hamilton.
Helen Rogers.
Ellie K. Pyatt.
Esther Fuhr.
Grace R. Harris.
Marie Mayer.
Franklin School.
Agnes S. Lusk, Principal.
Mary J. Maher.
Mary Russell.
Lillian Carter.
Maude Brown.
Zella M. Scott.
Mary Clampt.
Morton School.
Elizabeth Higler, Principal.
Gusie R. Duffner.
Sallie M. Steacy.
Lillian M. Sheehan.
Washington School.
Mrs. Edith P. Dunlap, Principal.
Mrs. Mary Riley.
Zoe Tryel.
Edna Wardhaugh.
Esther B. Laurie.
Naoma Wetzel.
Edna Hopper.
Edna Cox.
Anna Tendick.
Harriet E. Lander.
Josephine Milligan School.
Laura M. Hammond, Principal.
Alma Ruth Peak.
The following are janitors of the various school buildings:
Janitor.
W. J. Wood, Chief Engineer.
D. G. Fernandes, David Prince.
Newton Angel, Jefferson.
Thomas Fliske, Independence.
Joseph DeFratis, Lafayette.
Samuel Angelo, Franklin.
Charles Redding, Washington.
James P. Hopper, Morton.
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Major-General Leonard Wood: "Boys should remember that they are now serving in the best possible way by preparing themselves to serve more efficiently when the time comes."

It is a great mistake for partly educated young men to rush to the colors now. We don't need them. It is very important that they should finish their education."

Governor Frank O. Lowden: "I am much concerned over the situation in the high schools and colleges of the State. Students are being tempted, in large numbers to leave schools to accept the abnormal wages being paid in industry. Under the present Government regulations, these boys cannot enlist in any branch of the military service. It is therefore a question whether they remain at school or go into private employment. If they adopt the latter course, they are sacrificing their long future to their brief present. The gains they make are but temporary, while the things they sacrifice will permanently affect their lives. We shall have at the close of the war innumerable crippled bodies. This is inevitable. Let us not also have crippled minds as a result of the war. The vast work of re-organization which awaits us at the close of the war will demand trained minds as never before."

Hon. P. P. Claxton, U. S. Commissioner of Education: "No nation has made such generous provision for combined military and college education as has the United States in this new plan. The youths who avail themselves of the privilege will be serving their country's immediate as well as future needs."

Francis G. Blair, Superintendent of Public Instruction: "All our material and spiritual resources are committed to the winning of this war. All that our schools have taught and our children have learned will count for little if democracy perishes. Therefore, no other institution is more vitally concerned in the winning of a complete victory than the schools of the Nation. But we would be guilty of a short-sighted, fatal blunder if we allowed our children and our youth to neglect that education and intellectual training which will be demanded more imperatively than ever by the conditions which will succeed this war."

THE HIGHEST SCORING CHILD

A letter received yesterday by the Ayers National Bank from Mrs. Cora S. Read, chairman of the committee on awards at the state fair, stated that Richard Vernon Reed, of this county, had made the highest score for this county in the better babies' contest. The bank was therefore requested to pay the \$5 prize offered to the parents of the child. Mr. and Mrs. Letzer Reed, as a basis for a bank account. As a matter of fact the lad made a score of 97 1/2, the highest in his class for the whole state of Illinois.

CHURCH SERVICES

Rev. E. L. Pletcher will preach at Lynnville Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

ALL FUEL DEALERS MUST BE LICENSED

New Ruling Requires Formal Registration—Mines Can Only Ship to Licensed Dealers.

According to regulations of the national fuel administration, every coal dealer must register and receive a certificate signed by the chairman of the county fuel committee. If he continues to do business after Sept. 15, in accordance with the rules, no mine operator will be allowed to ship coal to any dealer who is not so registered. No charge is made for such registration and a certificate will be issued upon application to the local fuel administrator and will be posted in a conspicuous place in the office of the dealer.

M. F. Dunlap, county fuel administrator, has received instructions covering this matter and his assistant, Elmer Fitzsimmons, yesterday sent out notices to the several coal dealers in Jacksonville and various towns of the county notifying them of the rules and the method of procedure in order to secure certificates. The firm or person applying for a dealer's certificate must fill out application and answer more than a registrant under the selective draft law. The purpose of the fuel administration is to more rigidly control coal output, keep in accurate touch with every dealer and thus know that the coal mined is shipped to no persons not authorized as sales agents.

The regulation governing licensing for fuel dealers is more fully explained in the following circular, a copy of which has been sent to every fuel firm in Morgan County.

Regulation Requiring Retail Dealers to Register.

Section I.
All persons, firms, associations and corporations engaged in the distribution of coal, or coke in the State of Illinois as retail dealers, i. e. who physically receive, handle and deliver coal or coke to consumers from docks, yards, vehicles, barges or vessels, owned, hired or chartered, by them or from cars consigned them including employers who sell and distribute coal or coke to employees, shall on or before the 15th day of September, 1918, or if they begin business after that day, then, before beginning business, register with the County Fuel Committee of each County in which a dock, yard or trestle owned or hired by such retail dealer is located and of each County in which such retail dealer delivers or distributes coal or coke to consumers.

Section II.
Each registration required by Section I hereof shall be made in duplicate on forms to be prescribed by federal fuel administrator establishing this Regulation, one copy to be kept by the Registrar and one by the County Committee.

Section III.
Retail dealers who register as required by this regulation will receive a certificate or certificates signed by or on behalf of the chairman or a member of the County Fuel Committee, with which registration is made, and each certificate so received must at all times be posted in a conspicuous place at each office or place of business of the registrant.

Section IV.
Retail dealers doing business under more than one name or thru subsidiary companies or agencies bearing different names must register under and obtain certificates for each separate name, subsidiary company or agency.

Section V.
No fees shall be charged for registration.

Section VI.
Any retail dealer who fails to register, as required by this regulation, will be subject to the penalties prescribed in the Act of Congress approved August 10, 1917, pursuant to which this Regulation is promulgated.

Section VII.
No producer shall sell or ship any coal, coke, or oil, and no licensed distributor shall sell any coal or coke to, or purchase any coal or coke for, any retail dealer who has not registered as required by this Regulation.

Section VIII.
The names of retail dealers who violate Orders, Rules or Regulations issued by or under authority of the United States Fuel Administrator, or by the Federal Fuel Administrator issuing this Regulation pursuant to authority of said United States Fuel Administrator, will be sent to the Legal Division of the United States Fuel Administration at Washington, D. C., in order that all District Representatives and licensed distributors may be directed that no coal or coke shall be shipped or sold to, or purchased for, such retail dealers.

RAYMOND E. DURHAM, Federal Fuel Administrator, For the State of Illinois.

HIGH SCHOOL WANTS TYPEWRITERS

Typewriter shipment delayed. Wanted to rent 5 typewriters for a few weeks. Must be Remington, Underwood, Royal or L. C. Smith. Phone Superintendent H. A. Perrin.

JOPLIN TOURISTS.

Paul Smith, Frank Thompson and B. C. Smith, all of Joplin, Mo., arrived in the city by auto from the east Wednesday evening. Their car was covered with Illinois soil, but they were in good spirits and left for the west yesterday morning.

Miss Helen Smith, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Vasconcellos, of North Prairie street, has received a card announcing the safe arrival of her father, Clarence Smith, in France.

School Days Are Nearly Here



In a very short time the boys will be preparing to start the new term. It is your duty to see that the boy is properly clothed.

One of the first purchases will be a new suit. We are offering good durable Suits made specially to stand School wear. Some of these Suits have two pairs of pants, taped seams and reinforced, and what will interest the frugal buyer is, that these Suits are being sold at practically pre-war prices.

We urge you to buy early and take advantage of these prices as the same quality will cost more later.

Attractive Caps and Cloth Hats for boys, in fact we have everything in boys' Outfits except shoes—Caps, Blouses, Underwear in the best quality to be had.

Boy's Stockings, Triple Knee
3 Pair for \$1.00

We Close at Noon
LABOR DAY

MYERS BROTHERS

YELLOW PAINT GREETED CASS COUNTY AUTOISTS

Drivers of Cars in Virginia on Sunday were Reminded of Gasless Sunday by Yellow Paint—Floyd Tunis Funeral Held—News Notes.

Virginia, Sept. 4.—Sunday was observed as gasless Sunday here quite well during the day but later in the evening cars which ventured out were treated to a coat of yellow paint to remind the owners that the conservation of gasoline meant "patriotism" and it goes without saying that when a word to the wise is not sufficient—a dab with a brush in yellow paint usually is effective.

Reports come from farmers who had planted fields of cane saying that the hot winds of a few weeks ago has rendered the crop a failure. One sorghum manufacturer on discovering that the cane was without juice, sold his crop to a neighbor to fill his silo.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Paul departed for Carey, Ohio, Tuesday where they will visit their son Harry and family for a season.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eckard are moving their household goods to Springfield where they will reside. Mr. Eckard is employed by the C. and A. railway at that place.

Miss Olive Fielder left for Richland Sunday evening, where she will teach the Richland school the coming year.

Miss Sarah Devlin has accepted a position as sales lady at the C. A. Meneses dry goods store in this city.

Funeral services over the remains of Floyd Tunis who met his death on Aug. 31st by a fall from a horse, which resulted in concussion of the brain, was held at the residence of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Belcher in Grand Villa Monday, Sept. 2nd at 2:30 p. m. The heavy rain prevented the funeral party from proceeding to Jacksonville. The burial was postponed until today. The remains will be taken on the 10:53 C. P. and St. L. train. Burial will take place immediately upon the arrival in Jacksonville.

James and Buntie Woosley, former Cass county residents who have spent several years in Arkansas, returned to this place to live. They report the drought of the past season as a great disaster to crops in that section of the country.

Mrs. Henry Climer is unimpaired at St. John's hospital in Springfield.

Relatives in this city have received word of the safe arrival of Lieutenant M. F. Dorothy in France.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hiles arrived home Sunday evening from an overland trip to Atlanta, Kan., and other points.

Mrs. Martha Schultz resigned her position as teacher at Cen-

tenary school and accepted a grade in the Chandlerville schools. Miss Erma Ray is her successor at Centenary.

FARMERS ATTENTION.
Wasco hog house heaters will save you money in raising hogs. Investigate at once. L. F. O'Donnell, Wasco distributor. We have them in stock.

THE DELCO LIGHT ON HAND.
The Delco light is now fully installed in Jacksonville. Manager L. R. Caldwell has his family here and the business is settled so all need have no fear in dealing with the concern for it is a fixture. See how remarkably cheap a house can be fitted with electric lights, power to run the washing, sewing machine, wringer and other things no matter where you live. It is independent, cheap and effective. Store and display rooms, full line of electric fixtures, 212 South Main street.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
A. W. Moulton, by executor to James Watts, part northeast quarter southwest quarter, 2-13-8; \$2,700.

E. N. Kitter to T. B. Reeve, lot 2 Chambers' subdivision, Jacksonville; \$1.
Route College to Martha Rott, south half southeast quarter, etc., 23-15-10; \$41,250.
D. P. Bryan to William M. Miller, lots 14-15 and 16, J. D. Beatty's subdivision, Waverly; \$2,500.
Isaiah Whitlock to Grover Whitlock, part southwest northwest, 26-13-10; \$2,500.

LIEUT. PAUL J. FRANK HOME ON FURLOUGH.

Another of the Jacksonville boys who have made good, Lieut. Paul J. Frank, is home from Camp Taylor on a five days' furlough, before going overseas. Paul is one of the boys who has made good and has advanced rapidly. Last January he enlisted in the quartermaster's department, and has steadily gone up through all the grades and is now a second lieutenant, with the commission of a first lieutenant coming to him. He has served in Waco, Texas; Jacksonville, Fla.; Washington, D. C., and lastly at Camp Taylor. His career will be regarded with much interest by his many friends here.

MR. FRISCH VISITOR HERE.

Jacob Frisch, of Springfield candidate for Republican nomination for representative from this district, was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday, being accompanied from Springfield by Frank P. Vickery. Mr. Frisch has long been prominent in politics of Sangamon county and made a good record as a member of the lower house during the past two years.

CHARGED WITH ASSAULT.

John W. Murphy was arraigned in Justice Bayha's court Thursday afternoon on the charge of assault. The complaining witness was James M. Donovan. James O. Priest appeared as attorney for Murphy, while Carl E. Robinson, state's attorney, appeared for the people. After hearing the evidence the court assessed a fine of \$3 and costs.

PROBATE COURT.

In the estate of John P. Covey, report of sale of real estate was approved.

In the estate of Emma Shepard, appraisal bill was approved.

In the estate of Lucy McAllister, report of real estate sale was made and approved.

In the estate of Lucy McAllister, letters of administration were ordered to issue to J. A. McAllister.

In the estate of Peyton Henry, report of sale of farm lands was approved.

In the estate of Ellen Shuff, final report was approved and estate declared closed.

In the estate of Joseph Means, final report was approved and distribution ordered.

In the estate of Nancy Lahman, report of sale of real estate was approved.

In the estate of Margaret Smith, final report was approved and the estate declared closed.

In the estate of Fanny H. Headen, the inventory was approved.

STUDENT ARMY TRAINING CORPS AT ILLINOIS COLLEGE

Young men of the city and county who wish to enter military service and at the same time go on with their education will have opportunity to do so at Illinois College this fall. A unit of the S. A. T. C. will be established at the college by the war department. Students of Whipple Academy, the preparatory department, will also have the privilege of enrolling in the unit. Rifles, uniforms and other equipment furnished by the government. For further particulars, communicate with Pres. C. H. Rammelkamp, both phones 454.

ATTENTION MATT STARR POS

Boys, here is the chance to show your patriotism. Meet at 5:30 at the court house this morning and act as escort to the young men who will depart for the training camp. Don't say it is too early but think of what they are going to do for you and posterity. They are going after the boon, Rhine and all. Then at 8:15 another squad is going to get ready to step lively to "The Girl I Left Behind."

J. M. Swales, Com-mander C. E. McDougall, Adjutant.

WILL PRESENT PLAY.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Litchberry Christian church will present "Grandma Gibbs of the Red Cross," a patriotic comedy drama in four acts, on Saturday evening, Sept. 14, at the church. Special music will be furnished by the Musical Skill-mans of Jacksonville. If you want to see a good play and hear spirited patriotic music, remember this date and make your plans to be there.

FREE KINDERGARTEN NOTICE

It is earnestly requested that any young lady desiring to act as assistant in the Free Kindergarten for coming school year, will please notify the Director, Mrs. Charbel Hopper, 301 N. Diamond street at once.

FITALL CASES

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